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# French Socialists set for record win

**PARIS, June 15 (R) —** France's Socialist Party, which just a decade ago was a minor force on the political scene, was Monday poised to lead the country's left-wing parties to their biggest election victory in French history.

In a repetition of Francois Mitterrand's clear-cut election as president May 10, the Socialists and their left-wing radical allies Sunday took close to 40 percent of the vote in the first round of elections to the National Assembly. Most computer predictions showed they were headed for an absolute majority in the assembly after next Sunday's run-off vote.

Overall, the left-wing parties took 55.73 percent of the vote, despite a slump in Communist support to 16.17 percent, with the Socialists taking 37.51 percent, the extreme leftists 1.33 and small left-wing groups 0.72.

Leaders of France's right parties surveyed the damage and prepared to launch into a week of desperate campaigning aimed at bringing back to the poll nearly a third of the electorate which abstained Sunday.

The right saw its share of the vote fall to 43.15 percent with the neo-Gaullists taking 20.80 percent, the center-right candidates 19.20, small right-wing groups 2.80 and extreme rightists 0.35 percent.

Next Sunday's contest should largely be a battle between just one candidate from the left and one from the right. The Communists, Socialists and left-wing radicals have a pact to stand down in favor of the candidate from their side with the most first round votes. The

center-right has a similar agreement. Computer predictions for next Sunday's run-off give the Socialists anywhere from 244 to 286 seats in the new 491-seat assembly. They had 117 seats in the outgoing assembly in which the center-right had an overall majority of 70. The Socialists, therefore, may be able to govern alone, although they have strongly indicated that they want the Communists' support.

Communists and Socialists are due to hold negotiations after the final vote about possible Communist participation in the government.

The conditions laid down by the Socialists for the appointment of Communist ministers include demands for a virtual break with the Soviet Union by the Moscow-aligned French party on such issues as Poland, Afghanistan and the stationing in Eastern Europe of Soviet SS-20 missiles.

Even if no agreement is reached on cabinet participation, the Socialists would clearly like Communist support for the implementation of their policies, including the nationalization of 11 major industrial groups. Despite their dramatic decline from once being able to command nearly a quarter of the votes in French elections, the Communists still control the C.G.T. trades union group, France's largest, and their leverage in industrial relations remains formidable.

In response to Sunday's results, the franc eased to 239.29 per 100 marks from Monday's opening 238.50.



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## with Fahd in Damascus

## Against Soviet Union **Britain planned atomic attack**

LONDON, June 15 (AP) — Plans for a British attack on the Soviet Union using atomic bombs and germ warfare shortly after the end of World War II have been found in documents at the public record office, the *Times* of London reported Monday.

It said technical memoranda dating from January to July 1946, which were studied by the British chiefs of staff included a list of Russian cities which had populations of over 100,000 and were within the bombing range of bases in England, Cyprus and India.

The *Times* said the main report, titled "Future developments in weapons and methods of war," was submitted to the chiefs of staff committee in July, 1946 and was based on the work of a committee headed by Sir Henry Tizard, the distinguished scientist and government adviser.

The newspaper said the report was unearthed in the public record office by the controversial U.S.-founded Church of Scientology which is campaigning for multi-

eral disarmament.

It added that a report from the chiefs of staffs' joint technical warfare committee noted: "The tremendous destructive power of the atomic bomb and the devastating effects against live targets expected from biological weapons, which can be produced with relatively small effort in terms of manpower, on the part of the attacker, lead us to infer that the most profitable objects of attack by the new weapons will normally be concentrations of population, centers of distribution and communication.

"We cannot, however, rule out the possibility of diversionary and opportunity attacks on main fleets and bases, on convoys and on military concentrations in exceptional circumstances."

The *Times* said a total of 58 target cities, making up 77.5 percent of the Soviet Union's urban population, lay within 1,500 miles (2,410 kilometers) of the three bases at Norwich in eastern England, Nicosia in Cyprus and Peshawar in what is now Pakistan.

## Debate adjourned *Condemn Israel, France tells Security Council*

UNITED NATIONS, June 15 (R) — France urged the Security Council Monday to condemn Israel's destruction of a nuclear plant in Iraq and said the Israeli government should pay compensation. French delegate Jacques Leprette denied Israel's charge that the French-built reactor would have helped provide Iraq with nuclear bombs for use against Israel.

The Security Council at 1:13 p.m. EDT (1713 GMT) Monday adjourned to 3 p.m. (1900GMT) the same day its debate on Israel's destruction of the Iraqi installation.

The Israeli airforce attacked the multi-million-dollar plant outside Baghdad June 7.

While renewing France's commitment to Israel's security, Leprette appealed to Israel to end such military assaults and to pay reparations to Iraq. The plant, identical to two already in use in France, was for peaceful purposes, he said.

Leprette spoke during the third day of the council debate as Third World members supporting Iraq appeared ready to drop the demand for mandatory sanctions against Israel. The United States would veto sanctions, but its attitude to condemnation of Israel was not known.

U.S. officials said they did not know whether chief U.S. delegate Jeane Kirkpatrick would speak. She discussed the situation Monday with Leprette and British envoy Sir Anthony Parsons. A working paper circulated by the nonaligned states differed from a draft passed around on Friday.

Several paragraphs and phrases were in parentheses to indicate alternative formulations "urgently recommends" was bracketed as an alternative to "decides" in a paragraph that would have all states halt military, economic or technical aid to Israel "which might encourage it to pursue its policy of expansion and aggression."

For the earlier proposed demand that Israel place its nuclear facilities under international safeguards, Monday there was the alternative form "strongly urges." The new version also said that "Iraq is entitled to prompt and adequate compensation for the material damage and loss of life suffered."

Amman, King Hussein, referring to the

Israeli attack, has said the Arabs "will not surrender to Israeli terror" and charged U.S. arms supplies to Israel made "all Arabs target on aggression."

"Israel, its supporters and those who bend to that support will have to know that this (Arab) nation will never be humiliated," the Jordanian monarch said Sunday in a commencement speech at Yarmuk University. "The Arabs will never be subdued, we will never surrender to Israeli terror."

The 46-year-old monarch also rebuked unnamed Arab leaders for adopting what he described as negative attitudes "in the face of Israeli aggression." He added that the Israeli attack would kindle a "new zest for advancement in the Arab world."

Iraqi President Saddam Hussein has since declared that his country planned to rebuild the plant despite warnings from Israeli Prime Minister Menachem Begin that Israel would attack the facility again.

King Hussein said Israel was attacking the Arabs with weapons supplied by the United States and that these American arms placed in the hands of Israel have made all Arabs the targets for aggression.

President Anwar Sadat also said Monday that the bombing of the Iraqi plant was intended in part as a "terrible" test for Egypt's desire to live in peace with Israel and bitterly complained that the attack provided Moscow and his Arab foes with ammunition to smear him.

In an interview with *Mayo*, the weekly organ of his ruling National Democratic Party, Sadat also said the Israeli raid has "strongly shaken" peace in the area and expressed fear that it would lead to "reopening of old wounds and rebuilding the psychological barrier between Israel and Arab countries. Sadat has said that his visit to Jerusalem in 1977 has destroyed 70 percent of that barrier.

Meanwhile, President Reagan told President Sadat in a message Monday that he has urged both Israel and Syria to exert self-restraint in order to reach a peaceful settlement of the missiles issue, the official Middle East News Agency (MENA) reported.

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## After talks with Fahd Habib arrives in Damascus

**DAMASCUS, June 15 (Agencies)** — Philip Habib, President Ronald Reagan's Middle East envoy, arrived here Monday from Jeddah to continue talks with Syrian leaders on the tension between Syria and Israel. It is his fourth visit to Damascus during the American Mideast peace shuttle. Habib had more talks in Saudi Arabia Monday while a Saudi Arabian newspaper attacked his mission as irrelevant.

Habib conferred with Crown Prince Fahd in Jeddah, the official Saudi Press Agency reported. It said the meeting was attended by the Second Deputy Prime Minister and Commander of the National Guard Prince Abdullah Ibn Abdul Aziz, and the U.S. Ambassador-designate Robert Neumann.

Habib, who is on his second trip to the Kingdom since he was sent on the Middle East mission last month, had talks Sunday with Foreign Minister Prince Saud Al-Faisal. The envoy flew to Saudi Arabia at the weekend after four days talks in Beirut with Lebanese

leaders. Reports from Tel Aviv Sunday said Habib was expected in Israel later this week. Israel has repeatedly threatened to destroy the Syrian anti-aircraft missiles if Damascus refuses to withdraw them from Lebanon, and Monday Begin voiced his impatience with U.S. diplomatic efforts to remove Syrian missiles in Lebanon. "Are you moving the missiles or not? If you're not moving them, then we will," Begin was quoted by the government press office as saying he would ask Habib later this week. He was speaking at a campaign rally in the coastal town of Natanya, 25 kms north of Tel Aviv.

Begin told U.S. television he "wanted to know the results of Habib's Mideast shuttle which resumed this week in an attempt to defuse the Israeli-Syrian tension.

The Syrian press while focusing on Begin's threat, charged that the United States was supporting Israel and practicing "silent diplomacy with military escalation," according to the government newspaper *Tishrin*.

## \$3b deal with U.S. Pakistan to get F-16s, arms

ISLAMABAD, June 15 (AFP) — United States military hardware including F-16 fighter bombers and defense equipment for its ground forces will start flowing to Pakistan this year under an agreement reached between the two countries Monday.

A joint statement issued at the end of a five-day visit of U.S. Under Secretary of State James Buckley said that Washington has agreed to extend \$3 billion of economic and military aid to Pakistan to assist Islamabad in meeting the "unprecedented" threats facing its "independence and sovereignty."

Buckley, who held three rounds of talks with Pakistani Foreign Minister Agha Shahnawaz Khan, said the aid was a sign of the affirmed U.S. determination to support its territorial integrity in view of the "serious threats to the region posed by the presence of foreign troops in neighboring Afghanistan," it added.

Shahnawaz explained Pakistan's commitment to the principles of the nonaligned movement and the Organization of the Islamic Conference. Mr. Buckley "specifically disclaimed any American interest in military bases or in establishing any new alliances," the joint statement said. The two sides agreed that "a strong and independent Pakistan was in the mutual interest of the United States and Pakistan as well as of the entire world."

Later, Shahi told a news conference the United States has agreed to the immediate sale of an unspecified number of F-16 fighter aircraft and some conventional military equipment to Pakistan.

The aircraft and weapons were to help meet Pakistan's urgent defense needs and would be paid for by funds from Pakistan and its Arab friends, Shahi said.

A team of Pakistani military and defense officials will leave for Washington by the end of the month to discuss numbers, terms and delivery dates and the availability of other military equipment which Pakistan hopes to purchase immediately from the United States.

The purchases are exclusive of a five-year economic aid and military sales package which was finalized during the weekend by Pakistan and American negotiators, Shahi said. The package does not come into effect until October next year.

Shahi said the package was free of any military aid relationship and Pakistan had dropped its request for concessional terms to protect its independence. Credit available for military purchases during the five-year period would be at market rates of around 14 percent, he said.

The foreign minister said the \$3 billion figure envisaged credits for military sales of less

## **With 3 Arab states** **Libya seeks to restore ties**

LONDON, June 15 (R) — Libyan leader Col. Muammar Qaddafi wants to mend his relations with Morocco, Saudi Arabia and Iraq, all of whom severed diplomatic ties with Tripoli on separate occasions last year, the official Libyan *Jamahiriyah News Agency* (JANA) has said.

In a despatch to Reuters in London Sunday, JANA quoted Qaddafi as saying in a speech at an air base June 11: "We are ready to resume relations with Rabat, Riyadh and Baghdad. We declare that we have done away with all bilateral considerations. We have also decided not to incite any Arab differences until Israel is eliminated."

Qaddafi said he was ready to visit the three Arab countries. JANA quoted Qaddafi as saying Israel was a threat to all Arab countries after its air raid on an Iraqi nuclear research center last weekend. The Israeli nuclear center of Dimona should be destroyed in retaliation, he said in an interview last Thursday, the agency added. "As from now, the aim should be the elimination of Israel," the Libyan leader declared.

In another development Libya said it would join the Communist Warsaw Pact if its security were threatened by the United States. Libyan leader Muammar Qaddafi said in an interview released Monday.

In the interview, issued by the weekly magazine *Quick* before publication, Col. Qaddafi said the establishment of military bases on foreign territory and the deployment of naval forces around the world were terrorist activities. This was one reason he

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considered the U.S. a "terrorist superpower," he said.

Qaddafi was quoted as saying it would be necessary for his country to join the Warsaw Pact "if America became a real threat to Libya, or if Egypt, Sudan and other neighboring countries placed themselves jointly at the disposal of the Atlantic Alliance (NATO)."

## Qatar minister visits Jeddah

JEDDAH, June 15 (SPA) — Qatar's Crown Prince and Defense Minister Sheikh Subaim ibn Hamad Al-Thani arrived here Monday. He was met at the airport by Jeddah District Commissioner Sheikh Abdulrahman Al-Sudairi; and other senior officials.

Meanwhile, Crown Prince Fahd gave a dinner Monday in honor of Degefrat Johnson, Ghana's vice president, and the accompanying delegation. Second Deputy Premier and Commander of the National Guard Prince Abdullah attended the dinner. Johnson arrived earlier in the day for a three-day visit and was met at the airport by Prince Abdullah; Makkah Governor Prince Majed, Al-Sudairi; Western Province Commander Gen. Mansour Al-Shuaibi; and other senior officials and high-ranking military personnel.

Prince Fahd also received Monday the Ulema and Sheikhs in accordance with the royal tradition every Monday.

## ***To save on fuel imports*** **Syria to build nuclear plant**

DAMASCUS, June 15 (R) — Syria is planning to build a nuclear power plant to generate electricity and reduce the high cost of importing fuel, Syrian Minister for Electricity Dr. Yousef said Monday.

The minister made the announcement at the opening session of the first Arab nuclear conference taking place in Damascus just over a week after Israeli jets destroyed an Iraqi nuclear research center outside Baghdad. Dr. Yousef said the Israeli air strike had been denounced by many countries throughout the world. It had underlined the Syrian argument that "the enemy of the Arabs is international Zionism," he stated.

He told the conference that the Syrian nuclear plant would be completed by 1991. It was needed because of the rocketing costs Syria would have to pay for its fuel imports in the 1990's. Ten Arab countries and the Palestine Liberation Organization (PLO) are taking part in the conference.

Also taking part are government and scientific organizations from France, West Germany, Britain, Japan, Sweden, Switzerland, India, the United States, Belgium, Finland and Italy along with representatives of the Arab League and the International Atomic Energy Agency.

A spokesman for the Syrian minister said the conference would discuss the pros and cons of nuclear energy usage in electrical fields throughout the Arab world.

"Syria's aim behind this conference is to probe the scientific aspirations and ambitions of the Arab world and to direct them toward an important source of energy in the coming 10 years, the spokesman said. Dr. Yousef said that development of the nuclear plant was

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vital for Syria. Consumption of electric power was expected to increase about seven-fold, he told delegates.

The United Arab Emirates said it was also planning to use atomic power to generate electricity. The electricity and water minister for the Emirates, Ahmad Bin Nasser Al-Oweisi, told reporters an expert from the International Atomic Energy Agency had arrived in Abu Dhabi four months ago at the request of the UAE government to prepare a study on the proposed nuclear installation.

The power plant would probably be built by 1990, the minister added.

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## Israel obstacle to peace in Mideast, Saud says

WASHINGTON, June 15 (SPA) — Foreign Minister Prince Saud Al Faisal said that Israel has been desperately trying through all its aggressive actions to prevent the realization of peace in the region and to convince the Arab states that no peace is possible in the Middle East.

Prince Faisal, in an interview with ABC television's *issues and answers* program broadcast Sunday morning in the United States, denounced the security theory of Israel which is based on expansionist designs in the area.

"Their concept of security is extended. Previously they did not want the Arab countries to have offensive weapons. Now suddenly it turns that even defensive weapons are a threat to Israel. The missiles in Lebanon, the AWACS in Saudi Arabia, the reactor in Iraq. Pretty soon we will find that the concept of security for Israel might extend to bombing one of the universities in Saudi Arabia on the logic that, maybe, a scientist will come out of these universities to make a weapon which will be threatening to Israel," Prince Saud said.

Calling on the U.S. to initiate a change in its policy towards Israel, Prince Saud said the current U.S. policy is to give unlimited support to Israel in whatever field, militarily and economically with the concept that this would make Israel more secure and bring about more cooperation and finally peace.

"But," the foreign minister said, "the reverse had happened. As Israel became more capable militarily with American sup-

plies, it has been trying to achieve a solution on a military basis in the Middle East by striking everywhere."

He hoped that the U.S. administration would take decisive actions to prevent the repeated Israeli aggressive attacks that have hindered the realization of peace in the area.

Prince Saud said, "it is not Israel that has to be secure. It is the Arab countries that have to feel more secure if they are to maintain their trust towards a settlement of the Palestinian problem. The Israelis are trying to convince the Arab countries that no peace is possible. What they are trying to do is prevent peace."

He expressed his deep anger over Israel having been provided with destructive means beyond its capability or limitations. He said Israel has been lacking any sense of responsible feeling towards the region in which they are living. Condemning the Israeli air attack on the Iraqi nuclear plant, Prince Saud quoted the U.S. as having stated clearly that the Iraqi reactor was not an offensive weapons producing reactor and that the unprovoked Israeli action contradicted the U.S. agreements on armaments.

The prince hoped that there would be action by the U.S., who has now given Israel the capability to strike anywhere without restrictions. That has even restricted the U.S. from giving defensive weapons to other countries.

He urged the U.S. administration to shoulder its responsibility by concentrating on dealing with Israel's aggressive actions and policy which have become the prime factor for the unstable situation in the region.



MEETING: Riyadh Governor Prince Salman chaired the Water and Sewage Department's Board meeting in Riyadh Sunday night. Prince Salman is seen at the head of the table with other members of the board which include Riyadh Mayor Abdullah Al-Naeem

## Riyadh department takes charge of sewage project

RIYADH, June 15 (SPA) — Riyadh Water and Sewage Department's Board held a meeting here Sunday night under Riyadh Governor Prince Salman, its chairman. The meeting discussed operating and maintaining Riyadh's sewage project.

Umran Muhammad Al-Umran, the department director general, said after the meeting that the department plans to take over responsibilities of operating and maintaining the sewage project from the company in charge now so that the project will be under direct management of the sewage department.

The transfer will include the project's personnel and the way they will be supervised, both administratively and financially, Umran said. He added that the board also approved the awarding of some contracts and adopted certain measures that would improve work in the department.

In other constructional developments,

Hasa Municipality decided to carry out an expropriation projects to expand some streets and to implement public works and general facilities in the town, it was reported Monday. SR393 million has been allocated in compensation for land to be expropriated and demolished in an area between Bahouth Street, the Municipality Square and Fawaris Street.

The expropriated area will be developed into a 42,000 square meter parking lot. The allocated money also includes widening the Hasa Governorate's eastern street and extending the Kuwait Street. The municipality intends to make use of the abundant number of palm trees on the Kuwait street and plant them on other streets as part of the Hasa tree-planting program. The municipality also has decided to demolish old houses located in front of the Hofuf public hospital in the context of a beautification project for Hofuf, one of the Hasa Region towns.

## Yanbu orders anti-pollution system

LONDON, June 15 (LPS) — A contract has been awarded for supply of a complete pollution control package to the Saudi Ports Authority for Yanbu. The equipment will be provided by Zamil Harrier Skimmex International a leading pollution control specialist in the United Kingdom which has completed about \$1.5 million worth of business in the Middle East during the last nine months.

The company won the contract through its Saudi Arabian office from marine contractors A.A. Turki of Dhahran. Delivery is scheduled for this summer. The package

comprises more than 750 individual pieces of pollution control equipment.

The contract includes what is claimed to be the world's most advanced suction unit, capable of recovering up to 86,000 liter per hour of heavily viscous oil from all surfaces.

Also among the principal items are both deep-sea and coastal versions of a dispersant spray unit capable of penetrating the oil/water interface without the need for agitator boards; multi-function transfer pumps; work boats, pillow tanks; protective clothing; trailer units, and inflatable craft.

## BRIEFS

JEDDAH, June 15 (SPA) — The Mauritanian Justice Minister Abdul Aziz ibn Ahmad arrived here Monday with a delegation to attend the third conference of Islamic Endowments Ministers, which is due to be

held in Makkah Wednesday. The conference will be opened by Makkah Governor Prince Majed on behalf of King Khaled.

RIYADH, June 15 (SPA) — The Health Ministry urged parents to inoculate their children against measles when they are nine months old, according to a statement issued Monday. It said that the inoculation can be obtained at all hospitals, clinics, maternity and child welfare centers.

JEDDAH, June 15 — An international invitation to tender for the operation and maintenance of the abattoir here will be put out soon, according to *Al-Bilad* Monday. Dr. Abdullah Saeg Zaker, its director, held a meeting recently with importers of livestock to inform them about the working hours which will begin at 8 p.m. every night effective Saturday.

JIZAN, June 15 — Governor Sheikh Muhammad ibn Turki Al Sudairi opened the new airport here Monday. The field the new airport has all the necessary buildings and services to cater to the growing traffic in this Red Sea port city. While it will be restricted to smaller aircraft at first, the airport will be able to handle larger ones in the near future.

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## Telephone thief flogged, prepared for deportation

RIYADH, June 15 — A worker with Saudi Telephone was arrested and charged with "stealing" international calls from customers' lines in what is believed to be the first case of its kind, it was revealed here Monday.

In a report on the case *Al-Jazirah* said that the man, from an Asian country that was not disclosed had been sentenced to 70 lashes and two months imprisonment after which he will be deported. He had used a customer's line to make a call to his country. The call was later traced to him. He confessed his guilt and was made to pay the cost of all such illegal calls he placed, the paper said.

Such cases had been reported before but this is probably the first one where a man has been arrested and punished. The Saudi Telephone, an organizational part of the Ministry of Posts, Telegraph and Telephone, had warned its workers against stealing calls from their clients' lines after repeated complaints had been made to by subscribers.

## Talal promotes Gulf U.N. program

MANAMA, June 15 (SPA) — Prince Talal ibn Abdul Aziz, honorary secretary general of the U.N. for UNICEF arrived here on a short visit in connection with the Gulf

These clients found themselves being billed for calls they had not made to countries they had not contacted or had no interest in. Inquiries showed that some workers may have tampered with the lines while engaged in repairing or in routine checks.

Riyadh Governor Prince Salman had himself taken an interest in these cases and advised the authorities to intensify the search for those guilty of such offenses.

Meanwhile, 114 drivers were sentenced to one week in prison during the last 30 days in the capital for various offenses including reckless driving, deliberately skidding their cars to attract attention, raising dust, and scaring pedestrians. Another batch of 59 men were imprisoned for disturbing women in market places and teasing girls in front of their schools, the report said.

In the same period the paper said 149 illegal aliens were arrested.

program to support the U.N. own programs for development and humanitarian services. The Gulf program was formed last April at the initiative of the prince. The Kingdom donated \$60 million towards the fund.

## Prayer Times

	Makkah	Medina	Riyadh	Dammam	Buraidah	Tabuk
Tuesday						
Fajr (Dawn)	4.13	4.08	3.39	3.22	3.46	4.11
Dhuhr (Noon)	12.21	12.22	11.53	11.40	12.05	12.34
Asr (Afternoon)	3.41	3.43	3.14	3.06	3.30	4.06
Maghreb (Sunset)	7.05	7.13	6.44	6.35	6.59	7.34
Isha (Night)	8.35	8.43	8.14	8.05	8.29	9.04

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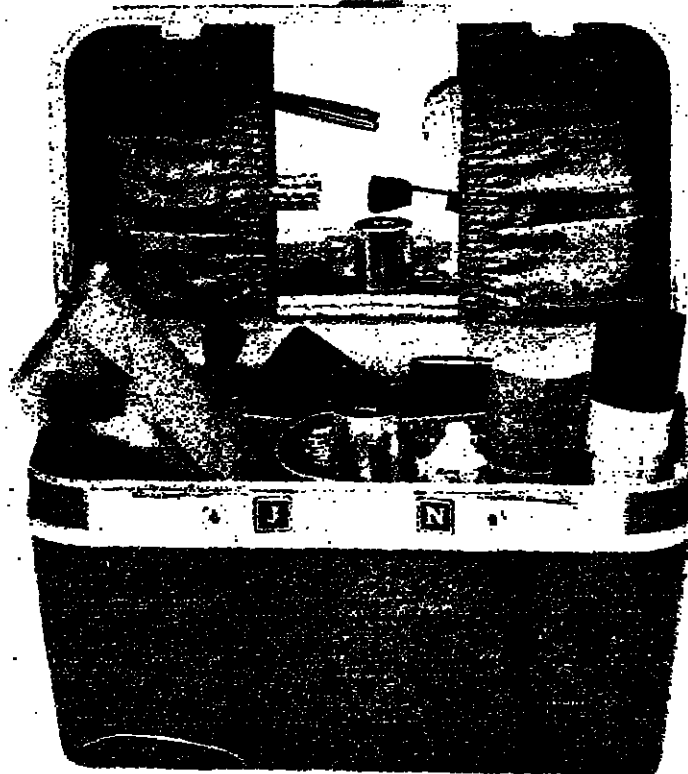
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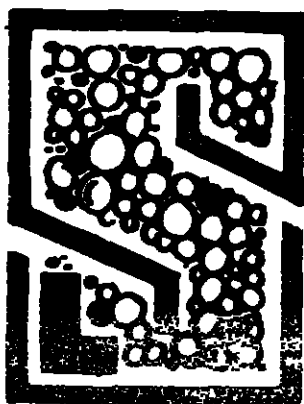
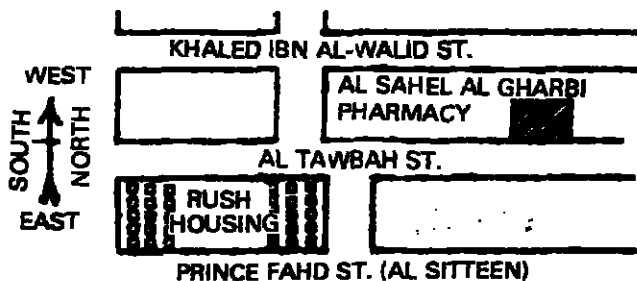
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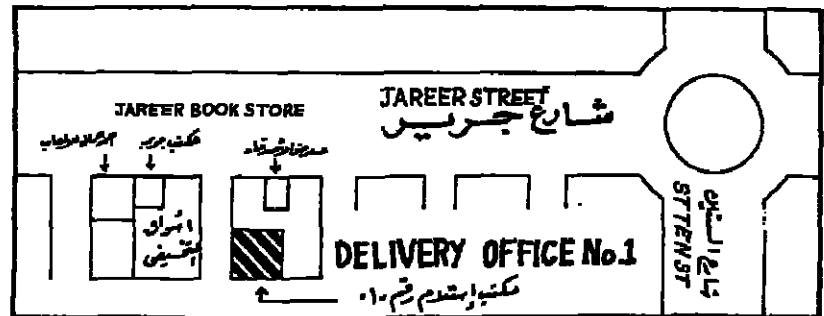
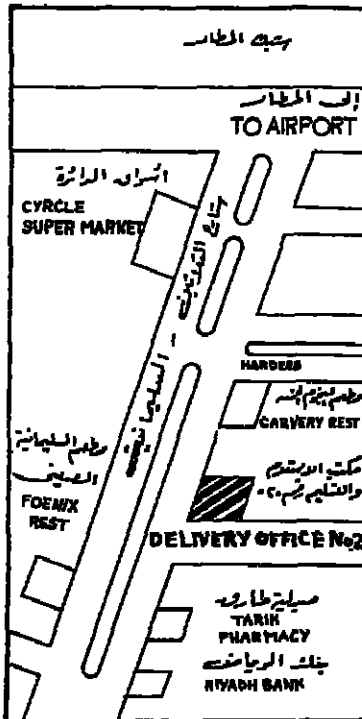
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# Majed receives Japanese minister

By Ahmad Kamel Khuro

JEDDAH, June 15 — Governor of Makkah Prince Majed held talks here Monday with Japanese Transportation Minister Masajuro Shiokawa, who is currently on a three-day visit to the Kingdom to promote cooperation between the two countries. The meeting was attended by Dr. Faysal Badr, Saudi Ports Authority president and head of the council administering the ports in Saudi Arabia.

Earlier in the day, the Japanese minister along with Deputy Vice Minister of Transportation Shoji Ishizuki and other members of the delegation held a meeting with Dr. Badr at Jeddah Islamic Port. It was attended by Muhammad Abdul Karim Badr, general manager of Saudi Ports Authority, and other officials.

After the forenoon deliberations, Badr said that they also reviewed the development of Saudi ports and maritime transport. The two teams also discussed ways of enhancing co-operation between Saudi Arabian and Japanese port authorities in the maritime operations and facilitating the exchange of information by increasing the frequency of visits by officials of the two countries.

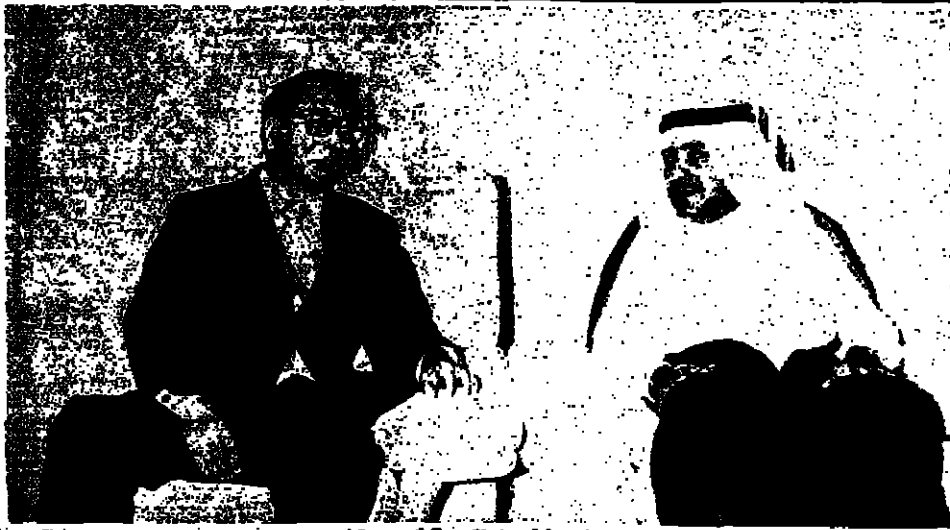
Badr said that they also reviewed the

involvement of Japanese companies in the development programs of Saudi Arabian ports. The Kingdom's officials impressed upon their Japanese counterparts the need for their companies to increase the share of work in upgrading Saudi Arabian ports by making "good offers". In this context, the Japanese minister said he would try to bring home this point to the Japanese companies involved in maritime transport.

To round-off the discussions, the Japanese delegation was taken on a tour of the Jeddah Islamic Port. They saw the expanding facilities, improvement of tonnage after the easing of congestion which had beset the port a few years ago. The Japanese minister showed keen interest in the port's development in a short time and said that this reflected the capability of Saudi Arabian port officials headed by Dr. Badr.

The Japanese minister is expected Monday evening to tour the city and visit the old and new landmarks before attending a dinner in his honor by the Japanese embassy in Jeddah.

The delegation's schedule for Tuesday includes a visit to the King Abdul Aziz International Airport in the morning and a meeting later with Sheikh Kamel Sindi, assistant for civil aviation affairs in the ministry of defense and aviation. Later, Shiokawa will attend a dinner by Dr. Badr at Hyatt Regency hotel.



TALKS: Dr. Faysal Badr, president of Saudi Arabian Ports Authority, holds talks with Japanese Transportation Minister Masajuro Shiokawa in Jeddah Monday.

## Computer graduates to get awards

RIYADH, June 15 (SPA) — Prince Badr, deputy commander of the National Guard, will award prizes and certificates to the first batch of graduates in the programming and operation of computers at a graduation ceremony here Tuesday.

The batch, consisting of more than 20 men from different departments of the Guard, has been trained by a local data systems company in cooperation with the Guard's department of computer services.

The measure, which will help to introduce data system at the National Guard, has long been considered a pressing necessity for its

## DATA manager opens management seminar

JEDDAH, June 15 — A week-long management seminar will be opened by Dr. Abdul Fattah Nazer, general manager of Dallah Avco Trans Arabia Company (DATA) at Al-Badr Sheraton here Tuesday.

According to a press release, the seminar has been organized by DATA in collaboration with the Department of Professional

huge projects in civil and military fields.

In an unrelated development, the Arab Universities Union Monday thanked the Saudi Arabian government for a donation of \$300,000 to help the project of an atlas of the Arab world being prepared by the union.

In cables to King Khaled and Crown Prince Fahd, the union expressed the hope that it will continue to receive the Kingdom's assistance and care for its projects. It further implored God to help the King and the crown prince to continue to patronize scholars and serve Arabism and Islam.

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## COMMENT

By Samir Shamma  
Al Medina

The people of the Arabian Peninsula have been known for their patriotism, and Arabian poetry is a living witness to this fact. But, useful patriotism should always be based on knowledge, and learning, and ought to be free from the dislike of others and from a permanent fear that may have no justification. Patriotism should teach us to help others and improve their condition, but this cannot be achieved through a loathsome attitude toward the foreigner, or by trying to send him out even if the country is in need of his services.

Patriotism ought to be deep-rooted in the hearts of people who can derive inspiration from a Palestinian child, for example, who, though born outside Palestine, works as a commando and longs to return to the homeland.

I will call him and egoistic person who works only for his own interest, throwing

overboard the interests of his compatriots. He will not be considered a patriot, but a fool devoid of the feeling of patriotism. None can be excused in this context, no matter whether he is a judge, an official, a writer or a poet, if he is guided by sense of self-interest in his actions. On the other hand, if a teacher grooms his students with discipline and etiquette and an intellectual writes a book to acquaint his countrymen with historical and features of the country, they surely are patriots.

Patriotism, I believe, does not come through spontaneous thoughts; it needs orientation and enlightenment with the help of media services. The radio and television have a big role to play in instilling patriotism in the hearts of the people, and patriotic programs can help a great deal in making citizens feel they are a single unit in the country and are bound with each other by strong bonds of love and brotherhood.



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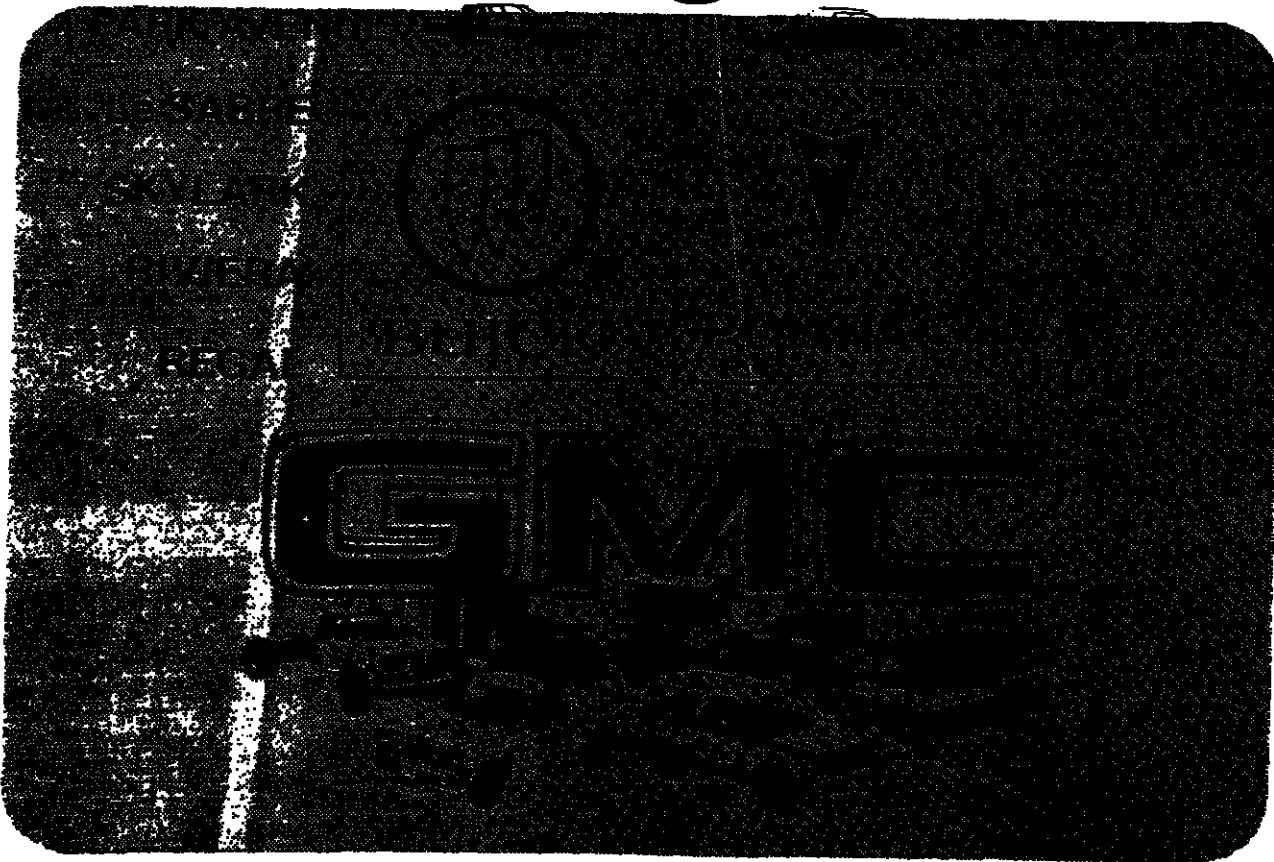
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By Khomeini

## Bani-Sadr asked to apologize

BEIRUT, June 15 (AP) — In an obvious reference to Iran's beleaguered President Abolhassan Bani-Sadr, Ayatollah Khomeini said Monday he was sorry that opponents of the government have "dug their own graves. I now accept their repentance."

The 81-year-old Ayatollah said in a speech distributed by the official Pars News Agency: "I want them now to go to radio and television and announce their repentance and say that they have been wrong so far in inciting people to revolt." This was a clear reference to Bani-Sadr's statement last Friday in which the moderate, Western-educated president accused his clergy-led hardline political foes of staging a "step-by-step coup" to depose and kill him and called on the people to "rise and resist before it is too late."

Although Khomeini did not mention Bani-Sadr by name, there was no doubt that he was proposing a way out for Bani-Sadr from the current power struggle with the hardliners of the Islamic Republican Party who have moved in parliament to impeach the 47-year-old first elected president in Iran's history.

Informed sources in Tehran said the 215-member Iranian parliament has scheduled a closed session for Tuesday to discuss a petition by 120 deputies that accused Bani-Sadr of violating the constitution and wanted him declared incompetent. Pars said Khomeini made the speech during an audience he gave to a visiting group of clergymen for several provinces at his residence in northern Tehran. It said the Ayatollah referred to Iran's recent political unrest and to the opponents of Prime Minister Muhammad Ali Rajavi's government and said: "I am sorry that

### Kurds take five German hostage

VIENNA, June 15 (AP) — Five West German technicians last weekend were taken hostage by Kurdish partisans of the Patriotic Union of Kurdistan (PUK) in northern Iraq, the Austrian News Agency APA reported Monday.

APA said it received a telephone call from Kurdish emigrant sources here and considered their report authentic. In return for the release of the hostages, the Kurds demanded an end of West German armament shipments to the Iraq, the punishment of those who last year intended to blow up the West Berlin hall where Kurds held a congress, the pardoning of 27 Kurds facing a death sentence on Mosul and a payment of five million West German marks to Kurds whose relatives were killed with the help of West German arms, the report said.

It added that the five technicians — their names were not mentioned — were taken hostage near Kirkuk in northern Iraq, predominantly inhabited by Kurds.



Ayatollah Khomeini

they have dug their own graves. I did not want this thing to happen this way. I now accept their repentance as Islam accepts repentance. I want them now to go on radio and television and announce their repentance and say that they have been wrong so far in inciting people to revolt. This has been wrong and contrary to Islam and the country's laws.

"They have been wrong in forming an alliance with the hypocrites (Mujahideen Khalq). I have several times told this gentleman (Bani-Sadr) to beware of those who have rallied around him as some of them are wolves that could destroy him. He would not listen. It is not too late."

Whether Bani-Sadr would agree to make a public repentance remains to be seen. The president has been staying at his presidential compound on Tehran's Palestine Street since he returned from the war front with Iraq Thursday, a day after Khomeini fired him as commander-in-chief of the armed forces.

Khomeini lashed out publicly for the first time at the National Front, an opposition group of moderate politicians headed by former Foreign Minister Karim Sanjabi. The front, which includes former Prime Minister Mahdi Bazargan, has supported the president in his year-long struggle with the IRP, which is headed by Iran's chief justice Ayatollah Muhammad Hussein Beheshti. Khomeini described a National Front statement that urged the people to participate in the anti-government demonstration later Monday as "blasphemous."

"The damage these people (National Front leaders) have inflicted on the Qur'an and Islam did not even occur during the reign of Reza Khan and Muhammad Reza (the deposed Shah and his father)," said Khomeini.

Chief government spokesman Behzad Nabavi told a press conference Monday that the government had had no contacts with Bani-Sadr in recent days.

Earlier Monday, Bazargan announced a partial boycott of the Majlis (national assembly) in protest against what he called insults,



President Bani-Sadr

threats and a ban on opposition newspapers. The veteran nationalist politician, who headed Iran's first post-revolutionary government, signed a letter with two other deputies stating: "We hereby announced that until the insults, threats and illegal bans cease, as a protest we will not attend Majlis sessions except those on the budget and the war."

The Majlis later adjourned without resuming discussion on moves to debate the competence of Bani-Sadr.

### Begin threatens voters, says Shimon Peres

TEL AVIV, June 15 (R) — Israel's general election battle heated up Monday with charges that Prime Minister Menachem Begin was inciting the electorate, imposing war and cultivating a personality cult.

The charges were made by Shimon Peres, leader of Israel's opposition Labor Party, in an atmosphere of growing virulence. "What the prime minister is doing is clear incitement," Peres told a press conference. "He uses phrases that no prime minister ever used before. He wants to impose fear on the people so that whoever does not shout 'Begin, Begin' is almost a terrorist and a traitor."

Peres was replying to government charges Sunday that Labor was spreading deliberately false propaganda and sabotaging Israeli diplomatic efforts concerning last week's air raid on the Iraqi nuclear reactor. "We will not allow the people to be cowed. We will not allow Israeli democracy to become one-man rule with a cult of personality accompanied by slogan chanting."

Accompanying the polemics was an outburst of election rally violence which prompted Interior Minister Yosef Erag to issue a special order for the arrest of all violent offenders.

## Zia assumes more powers to put down agitations

ISLAMABAD, June 15 (R) — Pakistan's President Gen. Zia-ul-Haq has given himself authority to jail, sack, demote or have whipped a civil servant or member of a government corporation involved, even indirectly in "agitational activity."

The new martial law order, promulgated Sunday night, did not define agitation. But it is a term commonly used to cover any form of anti-government action or speech in Pakistan where political and trade union activities are banned.

The civil service in Pakistan was previously free from direct government interference and operated its own institutionalized checks and balances. Under Gen. Zia's new order, a civil servant can be sentenced to up to five years hard labor and five lashes if he is found guilty by a military court of agitational activity. There is no right of appeal.

### U.S. officials visit Morocco

RABAT, June 15 (AP) — U.S. Undersecretary of State Frank C. Carlucci and U.S. Undersecretary of Agriculture Thomas Hammer were in Morocco Monday to discuss diplomatic matters and further agricultural cooperation with their Moroccan counterparts.

"The point of our visit to Morocco is to learn," Carlucci told reporters after arriving here Sunday. "Morocco is both an Atlantic and a Mediterranean power. Your ideas on regional and national problems are enormous value to us."

Hammer, accompanied by a large delegation, will meet with Moroccan officials to strengthen ties between the two countries in agricultural cooperation and trade.

### Iraqi killed in Israeli raid

PARIS, June 15 (R) — Frenchmen evacuated from the site of the Iraqi nuclear reactor outside Baghdad have said two persons died as a result of the Israeli attack on the site a week ago.

They said that apart from a French technician an Iraqi was killed by falling shrapnel from Iraqi anti-aircraft artillery fire. Seven Iraqis were wounded. Four Frenchmen who were at the site of the Tammuz reactor during the raid were unhurt, they said.

One of the heads of the French teams at the project said the reactor was destroyed but gave no further details.

Not in provisional agenda

## OAU unlikely to rush through Sahara issue

NAIROBI, June 15 (R) — The admission of the self-proclaimed Saharan Arab Democratic Republic as a member of the Organization of African Unity (OAU) is not on the provisional agenda for the council of ministers meeting in Nairobi, OAU secretary-general Edem Kodjo said Monday.

The ministers will prepare an agenda for the OAU heads of state conference due to start in Nairobi June 24. Answering questions at a news conference, Kodjo said: "This (the Western Sahara issue) is not an easy question. We will have to strike an equilibrium." Morocco is opposed to the admission of the Saharan Republic set up by the Algerian-backed Polisario Front — which is fighting Rabat's forces for control of the former Spanish colony — to OAU membership. King Hassan of Morocco is expected to attend the summit to press his country's views.

The situation in Chad, also expected to figure prominently in the summit talks, had been under discussion by a small group of African leaders who met recently in Ndjamena, Kodjo said. He said a meeting of OAU states, which was to have been held in Freetown recently to discuss the Chad issue, could not take place because it was not convenient for all the heads of state to attend.

Asked if he was optimistic about proposals to establish an African peace-keeping force to serve in Chad, he said the Ndjamena meeting had recommended the setting up of a

### French family attacks Turks; 1 dies

VERDUN, France, June 15 (AP) — Nine members of a French family, including four women, attacked a group of Turkish immigrant laborers with guns, rocks and clubs, killing one man and wounding two others in the village of La Meuse, police said Monday.

Police rushing to the scene were met by gunfire and had to call in a special strike force before Fernand Guillaume and his four sons and four daughters agreed to surrender. Officers said the family later told them they were retaliating against the Turks for making "improper gestures" at some of the daughters who had been sunbathing Sunday in the village, about 130 miles east of Paris. Several witnesses denied that such gestures were made.

Police said that Sunday night Guillaume, accompanied by his sons and daughters, all in their early 20s or teens, attacked five immigrant Turkish woodcutters with rocks and clubs as they were buying chickens at a local shop. One of the Turks retaliated, according to witnesses, throwing the family "into a veritable fury," police said.

The Guilleumes left the shop, returned with rifles and opened fire, killing one man

non-permanent military force. "It is vital that the Organization pays attention to this issue of intervention," Kodjo said.

On decolonization, he said the summit would press for the independence of Namibia (South West Africa). It would discuss South African aggression against Angola and Mozambique in the same context. Asked about reported moves by Sudan to mediate between Ethiopia and Somalia in their longstanding border dispute, he said: "The OAU is deploying constant efforts to improve understanding between member states. A committee established last year to study the Ethiopia-Somalia problem will report to the heads of state." A border dispute between Nigeria and Cameroon was regarded as a difficult and sensitive issue, Kodjo said. Consultation would be held outside the conference to try to bring about an understanding, he added.

At last year's OAU summit in Freetown, Sierra Leone, African states supported a claim by Mauritius for the return of the Indian Ocean island of Diego Garcia, a British colony used as a base by U.S. forces. Kodjo said this question would not be on the agenda unless Mauritius wanted the 1980 resolution to be re-asserted.

"It could be related to our general concern to make the Indian Ocean a zone of peace. I am sure this session will deal with this question very closely," he said.

### Arab atomic energy conference begins

DAMASCUS, June 15 (R) — Representatives of 11 Arab countries Monday opened a five-day conference in Damascus on atomic energy and its use in the generation of electric power, Damascus radio reported.

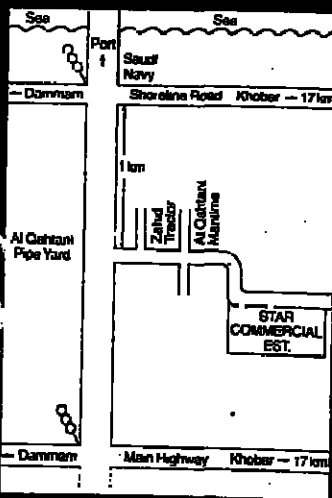
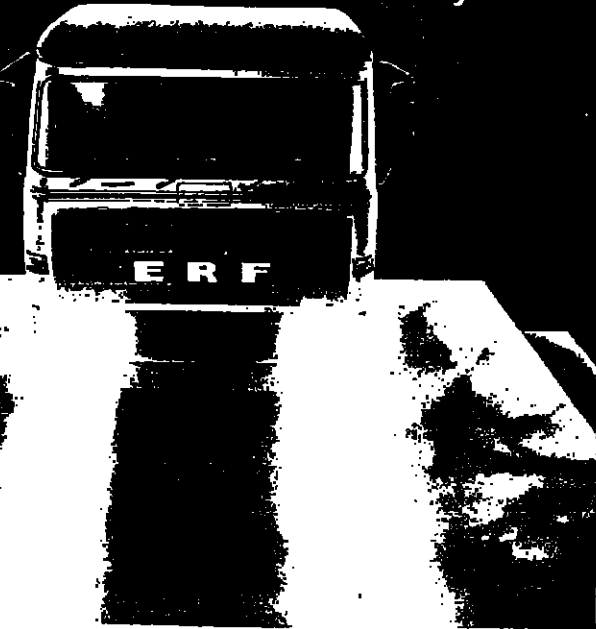
The conference, which takes place a week after Israeli jets bombed an Iraqi nuclear research center outside Baghdad, was also attended by several international organizations, including the International Atomic Energy Agency (IAEA).

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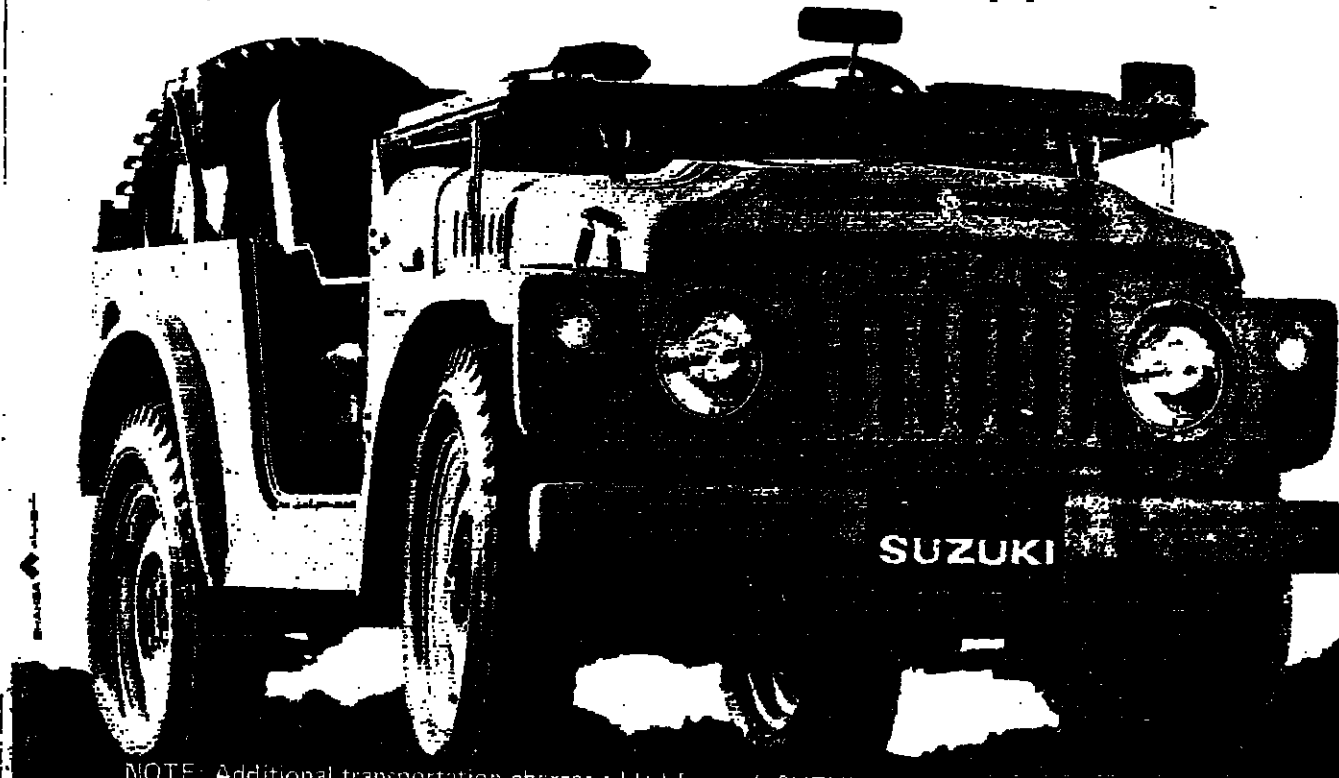
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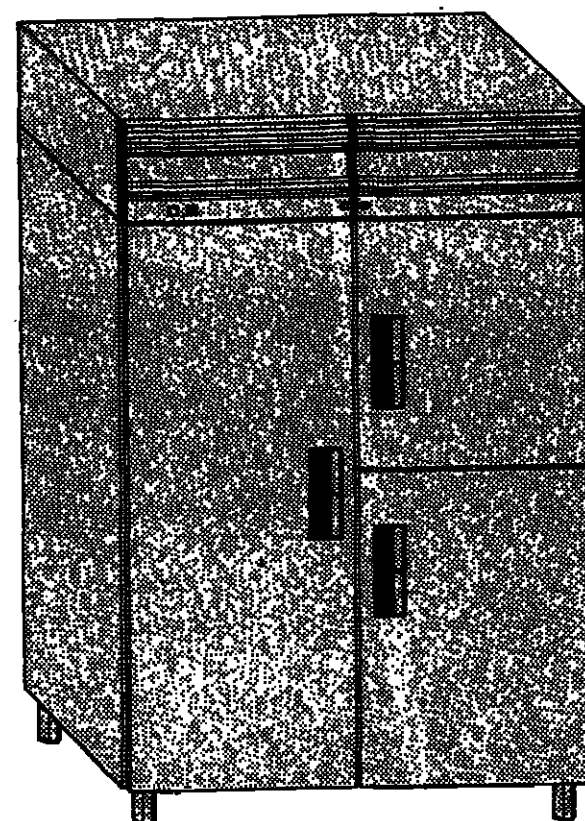
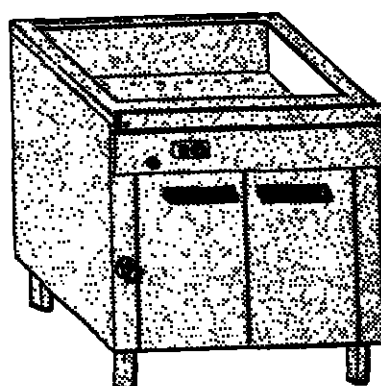
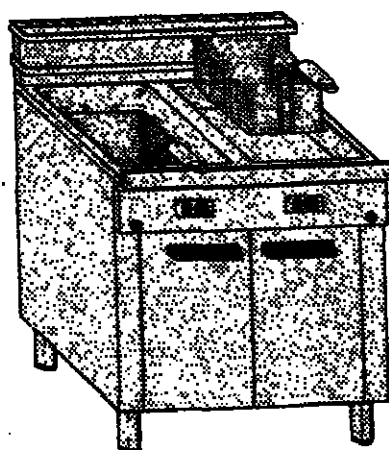
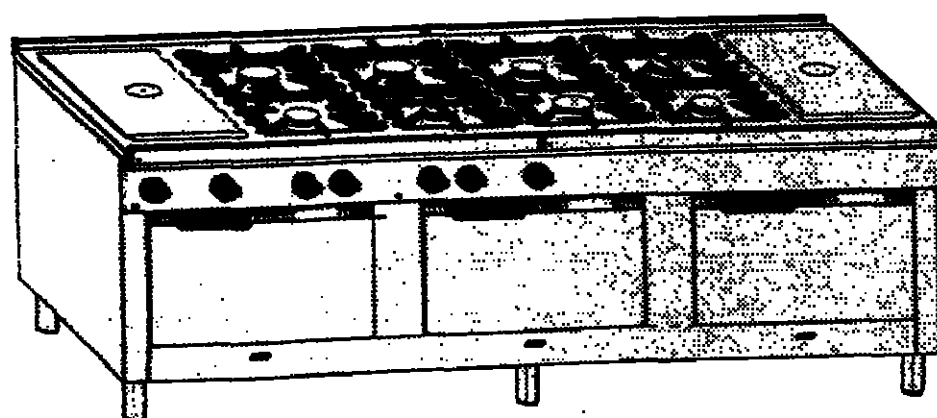
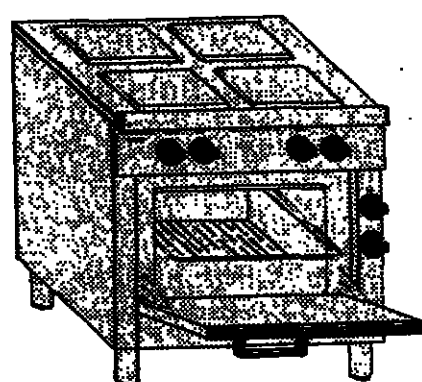
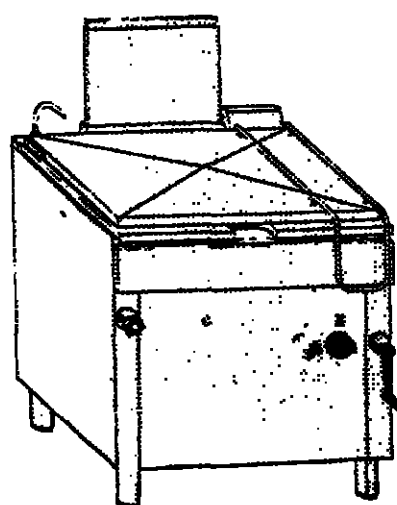
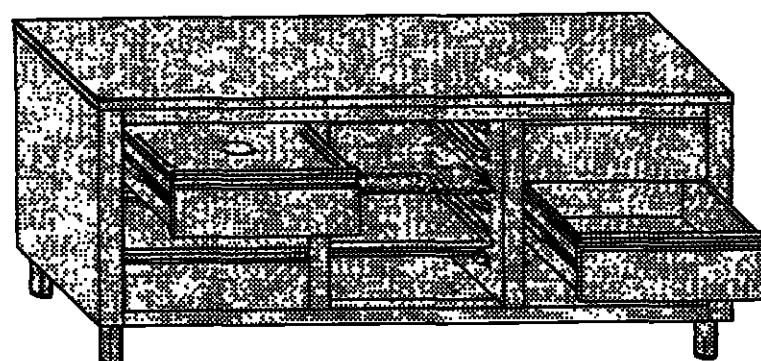
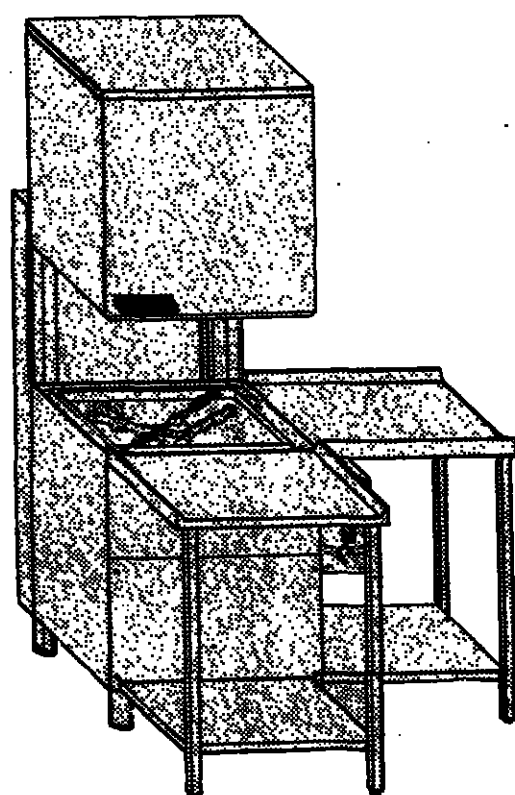
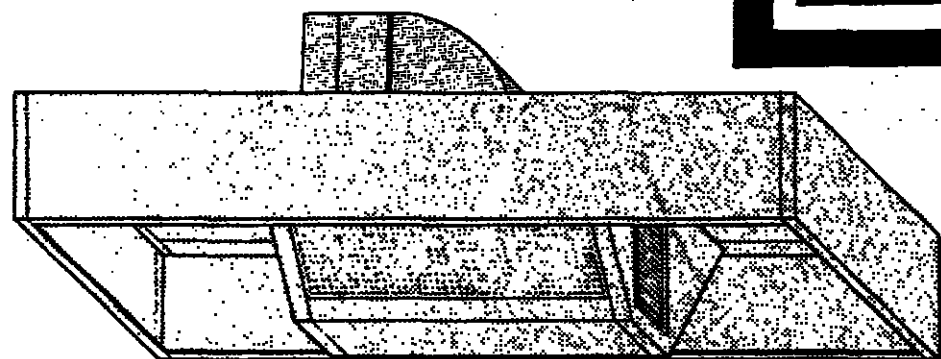
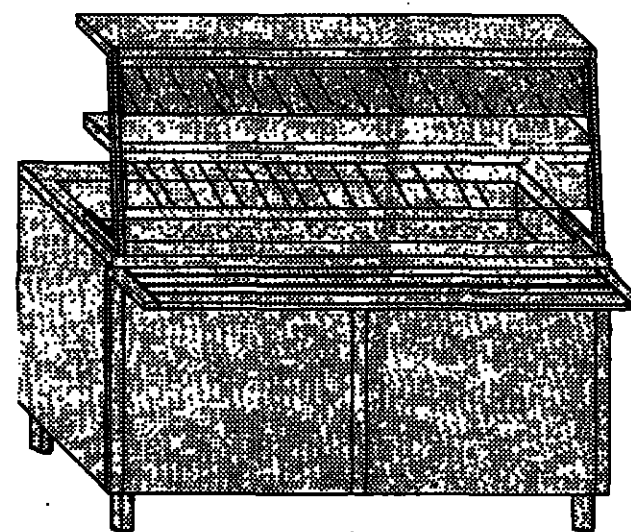
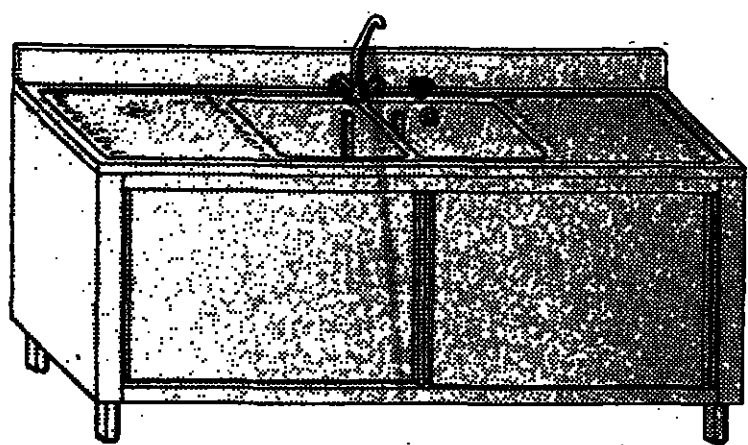
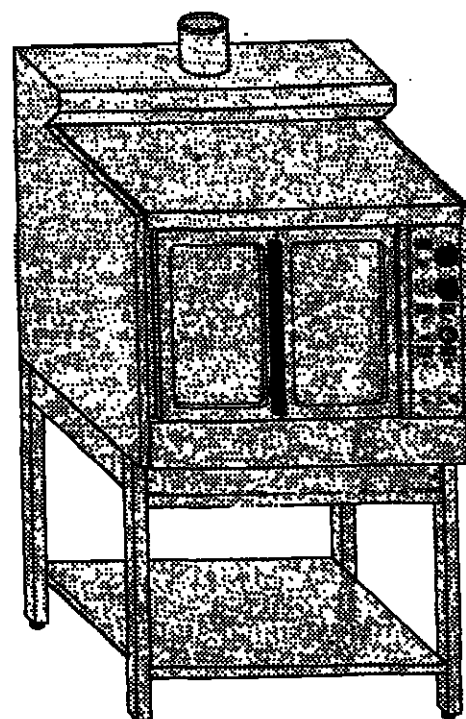
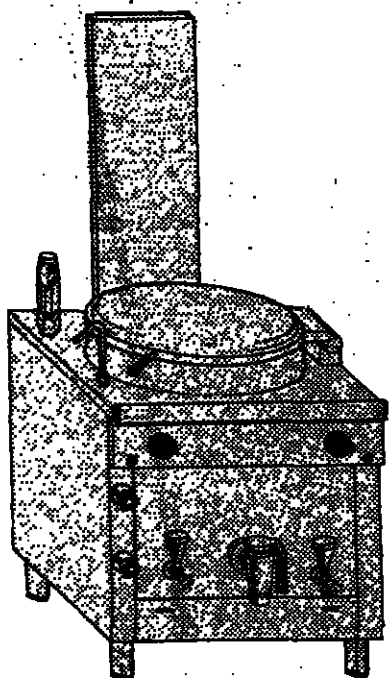
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## CONTRIBUTE TO PEACE!

The mission of the American special envoy to the region Philip Habib has foundered and may already have been doomed by the Israeli attack on the Iraqi nuclear research center in Baghdad last week. Habib has been doing his best and it is no reflection on his sincerity or abilities to say that the mission has failed, because failure had been built into it from the start.

He was dispatched to the region after Syria had installed defensive missiles in Lebanon with the knowledge and agreement of the Lebanese government to defend Syrian peace-keeping troops in that country from Israeli warplanes. Because the missiles might curtail Israel's wanton disregard of international laws — as was the case with the attack on Baghdad — Israel threatened to wipe them out by force. A war atmosphere developed and Habib was dispatched, to ease the tension.

But the mission suffered from the extreme weakness of having been assigned the job of persuading Syria to withdraw the missiles and leave their troops and all of Lebanon exposed to Israel's bombs and rockets unlimited. Syria could not have possibly accepted such a demand and still retained its credibility at home and self-respect abroad.

Habib's terms of reference should have been simply to ask Israel to stop its attacks and overflights in Lebanon and Syria and the missiles would not be fired. They would not have been fired in the first place.

Withdraw the missiles and then what? Foreign Minister Prince Saud Al Faisal said on ABC television in America yesterday that the next thing would be for Israel to bomb our universities to prevent us from producing scholars and scientists who might someday contribute to the technological advancement of the Arab nation. If even defensive systems are considered a threat to Israel's security, then most things in the Arab world should be liquidated according to this lopsided logic.

The U.S. would do better to stay Israel's hand from further outrages against the Arab world by means of American technology and weaponry. That would be a more substantial contribution to peace than the removal of the Syrian missiles.

## BOOST FOR MITTERRAND

The results so far of last Sunday's French parliamentary elections give an encouraging indication to President Mitterrand's Socialists. Around one third of the 491 electoral districts gave out their final results. The remaining two thirds will go to the polls again next Sunday to determine their representatives.

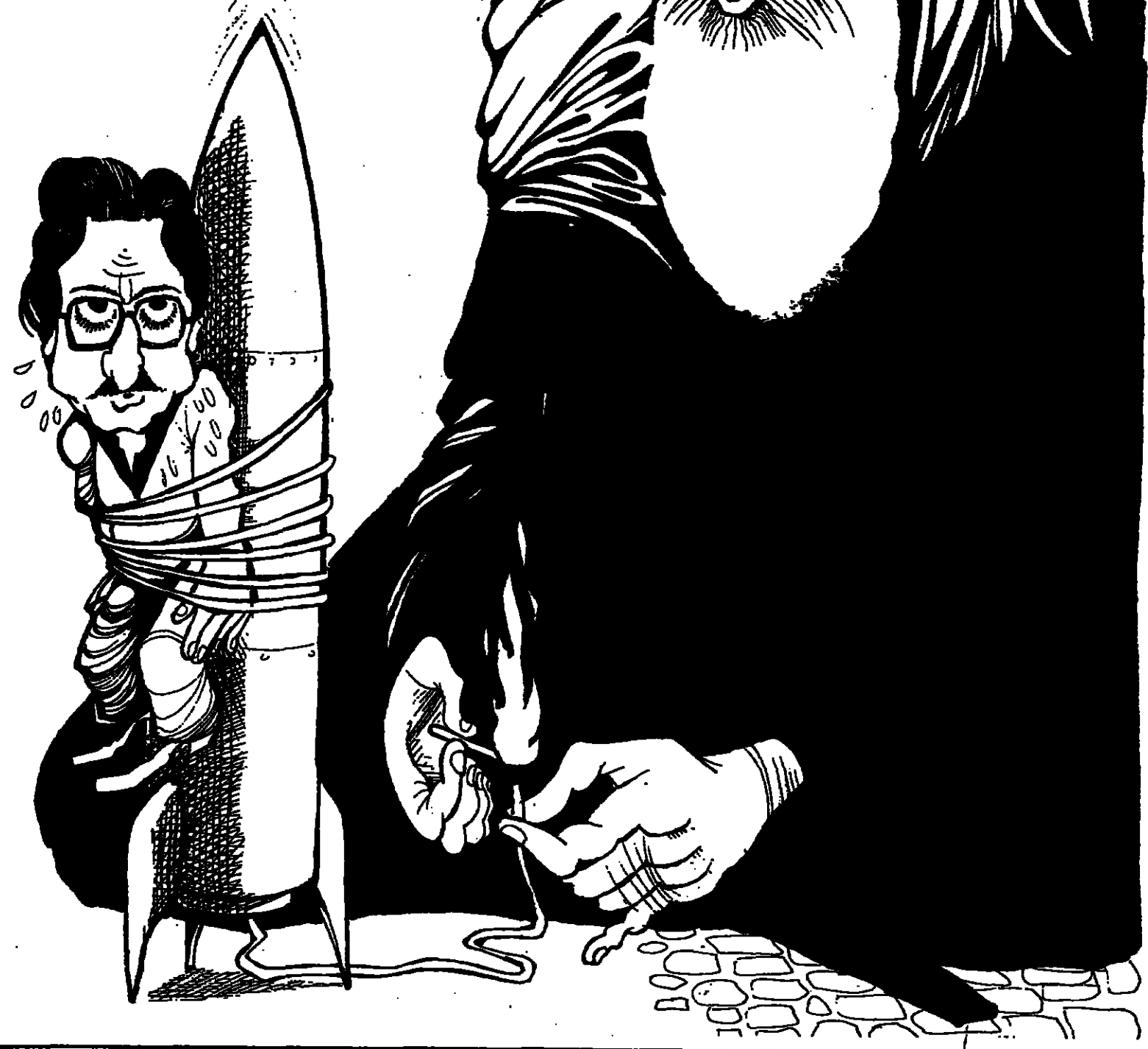
Observers have noted that the impressive Socialist advances have been made chiefly against the Communists, while the Gaullists have remained more or less in the same position. First results show a distinct possibility of an outright Socialist majority — though this can be confirmed only by next Sunday.

As in the presidential election, the main losers appear to be still the Communists, who are threatened with losing half of their parliamentary force, now standing at 86 members. The two wings of Gaullism, Giscardist and Chiracist, have registered only a slight retreat.

Last Sunday's round of the elections showed a surprisingly low polling rate, which means that the various parties will have their work cut out this week persuading the faithful to flock to the banner next Sunday. The rightists are doing their utmost to scare their electors to the polling stations by raising the danger of Socialist domination in both the Elysee and the National Assembly.

The left is telling its people that their presidential victory will lose significance unless there was a majority in the assembly to secure it. Within the left, the Communists are already beginning to accept the possibility of an outright Socialist majority — which means that they will lose the card they hold against Mitterrand, and will consequently have no representative in the coming Socialist cabinet.

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## U.S. leaks policy on South Africa

By Peter Pringle

WASHINGTON — A series of top-level leaks from the State Department has finally clarified the Reagan administration's policy on South Africa. It does not bode well for a quick solution to the problem of Namibia's independence.

The Africa policy has never been much of a mystery. From the beginning, Reagan and his Secretary of State Alexander Haig, made enough noises about the strategic importance of South Africa to indicate they had no intention as Carter had done, of seeking Pretoria for its apartheid policies, nor of threatening economic sanctions if these policies were not seen to improve. Rather, they deliberately set out to raise the temperature of the cooled diplomatic relations between the two countries.

They also appeared determined to link any international solution to the independence of Namibia to the withdrawal of Cuban troops from Angola, and some form of "reconciliation" between the ruling Marxist Angolan government and the Western-backed nationalist guerrilla leader, Jonas Savimbi. Indeed, the man Reagan wants to head this policy, the designated assistant secretary of state for African affairs, Chester Crocker, has told senators that this will be the policy.

While Crocker's nomination has been held up by hardliners in the Senate, however, the administration

has been coy in articulating its African policy. But two important leaks, one to the *Washington Post* and one to the *New York Times*, show that the policy line was well entrenched within three weeks of Reagan's inauguration. The special language used by Crocker in outlining the policy will no doubt cause the hardliners on the Hill to drop their doubts and Crocker can get on with his job. The language will also irk the prominent leaders of the black African states most involved in the Namibia settlement and also those trading with the U.S. such as Nigeria.

Nigerian President Shehu Shagari, on a recent visit to Britain, warned the U.S. against tilting its policy on Africa toward Pretoria. Nigeria is the second largest supplier of foreign oil to the U.S.

In particular, the Africans are expected to balk at the wording of the U.S. plan that calls for obtaining their backing for a "demand" from Angola to withdraw Cuba forces from its territory and "share power" with Savimbi before the U.S. somehow manages to persuade a reluctant South Africa to withdraw its own troops from Namibia and agree to open elections there.

An internal State Department memorandum of Feb. 7, drafted principally by Crocker, says the "African leaders would have no basis for resisting the Namibia-Angola linkage once they are made to realize that they can only get a Namibia settlement through the U.S. and that we are serious about

getting a settlement." This effectively reverses that Carter doctrine that had concentrated on obtaining independence for Namibia as a first step. Reagan is now insisting on an "Angola first" approach.

The other Western countries involved in the Namibian settlement, the so-called Gang of Five — Britain, France, West Germany and Canada, plus the U.S. are reportedly upset that the new policy was formulated without consultation. Nor are they pleased at Washington's apparent acceptance that it will take up to another 18 months before South Africa is ready to go ahead with Namibian elections.

The memorandum says South Africa and its white allies in Namibia "need 12 to 18 months, they believe, to get into a better position to complete with SWAPO" — the Angolan-based South-West Africa People's Organization that has continued to attack South African forces in Namibia.

The overall aim of the new U.S. doctrine, according to the second group of documents prepared by Crocker for the recent visit of the African Foreign Minister, Roelof (Pik) S. J. is to "open a new chapter" in bilateral ties between the two countries. One of these papers suggested that if the South Africans cooperate on the Namibia settlement, the U.S. should reciprocate by working "to seek to restore South Africa's place in the world as a legitimate and important regional actor with whom we can cooperate pragmatically." (ONS)

## Saudi Arabian Press Review

Most newspapers led with King Khaled's state visit to Spain beginning Monday, saying the two monarchs will discuss strengthening of bilateral relations and supporting Arab causes at international forums. Meanwhile, *Al Medina* gave lead coverage to a meeting between King Khaled and President Luis Herrera Campins of Venezuela, which took place in Geneva Sunday to discuss oil matters.

In a front-page story, *Okaz* reported that King Hassan II of Morocco has invited King Khaled to visit Morocco. The Geneva meeting between the King and the Venezuelan president occupied front-page prominence in the newspapers, which also quoted an official spokesman as reaffirming that the AWACS aircraft are being manned and managed by the native cadres.

The King's Deputy, Crown Prince Fahd's arrival in Jeddah Sunday was prominently reported with photographs on the front pages. Meanwhile, *Al Jazirah* played as a page one story Iraqi Foreign Minister Saddam Hammadi's call on the U.N. Security Council to issue an effective resolution against Israeli aggression against the nuclear reactor in Baghdad.

The main topic of discussion for newspaper editorials Monday was the King's visit to Spain and its impact on Euro-Arab relations. *Al Medina* praised age-old relations between the Arab and Islamic world and Spain, and added that Spain has always supported Arab and Islamic rights, with its various

governments never failing to support right and justice despite all pressures and destructive activities the rulers had to face in friendly Spain. The paper added that, ever since an announcement was made about this visit, all Arab, Islamic and international circles have been anxiously awaiting its outcome, which will have its reflection on Spain's ties with the Arab and Islamic world.

*Al Riyadh* lauded Spain's distinctive role in Euro-Arab relations and said that it has been continuously striving to maintain its friendship with the Arab world. Despite all attempts by Zionist circles to spoil Spanish-Arab relations, the paper said, Spain continued to support Arab rights at the world forums — a matter that reinforced Spanish-Arab friendship. The paper hoped that the two sovereigns will concentrate on the development of joint actions in the interest of the two countries. The paper praised Spain's will and determination to eliminate factors of tension at the domestic level and to pursue a policy in tune with the principles of freedom and democracy.

*Okaz* also noted that Spain and the Arab world have been brought together through age-old relations which had influenced Europe and enriched its arts, sciences and literature. It hoped that summit talks between the two countries will review international issues and bilateral relations with a special emphasis on aiding economic ties and cooperation by supporting Arab and Islamic issues as well as the causes of Third World.

*Al Bilad* described the Saudi-Spanish meeting as a practical interpretation of Arab efforts to boost relations which are based on historic ties. The leadership of both Saudi Arabia and Spain have always exhibited a keen desire to develop bilateral ties in a practical and fruitful manner, said the paper, adding that the countries of Western Europe have been impressed by Saudi Arabia's role in supporting the issues of right and justice in the world. It is because of its pioneering role in boosting welfare and security for the peoples of the region that the Kingdom has been permanently targeted by world Zionism and communism, which have been trying to play a destructive role in the region, the paper added.

On the other hand, *Al Nadwa* commented on the U.S. emissary Philip Habib's Middle East mission, saying that the presence of the Syrian missiles on the plain of Bekaa in Lebanon does not create any crisis. Reiterating that those missiles have been installed for defensive purposes, the paper asserted that Habib's mission is not only uncalled for but "aggressive" in the context in which both Washington and Tel Aviv are trying to project the matter. It insisted on the U.S. to exercise its pressure on Israel so that it capitulates to the wishes of the international community and implements the world body's resolutions. If Washington continues to remain biased toward Israel, it will be considered as an active partner in planning assaults, holding itself responsible for the consequences and possible complications, the paper added.

## Egypt furious over raid on Iraq

By Shyam Bhattacharya

CAIRO — The Egyptian government could not be more severely embarrassed than it has been by Israel's raid on Iraq's nuclear research center at Tammuz. Only a few days ago President Anwar Sadat and Israeli Prime Minister Menachem Begin were exchanging pleasantries at the southern Sinai resort of Sharm el Sheikh. At the meeting, Begin promised not to escalate tension in southern Lebanon. "I suppose the Israelis can say they made no commitments to us about Iraq but what they have done is very serious and highly embarrassing for us," said a spokesman for the Egyptian Foreign Office. The Egyptians are annoyed not just because the attack came within days of the Sadat-Begin summit, but also because Cairo has, for several months, been slowly mending its fences with Baghdad.

Less than a month ago Sadat announced he was selling a second consignment of arms to Iraq and he praised the Iraqis for their help to Egypt during the last Middle East war. Egyptian officials say there had been hopes that diplomatic relations with Iraq, broken off by Baghdad when Egypt signed its peace treaty with Israel, might be restored by the end of the year. They now believe relations will be restored only if Cairo severs relations with Israel.

Among Egyptian nuclear scientists, meanwhile, there is a growing conviction that the Israeli secret service was behind the murder in Paris last July of an Egyptian reactor engineer, Dr. Yehiya Meshad, who was working for the Iraqi Atomic Energy Commission.

Meshad, who was holding discussions with the French government on behalf of the Iraqi authorities, was found dead in his Paris hotel the day before he was due to return to Baghdad. There was speculation at the time that Meshad had interested himself in the design of a future Iraqi atomic bomb, but this is dismissed by his colleagues. "Meshad was a professor at Alexandria University, a reactor engineer. He had nothing to do with weapons," says Dr. Kamal Effat, former head of the Egyptian Atomic Energy Establishment.

Egyptian anxieties about the fate of the Iraqi reactor are in part related to what they themselves are doing in atomic research and development. In the wake of the Iraqi disaster, Egypt emerges as the leading Arab country in the nuclear field.

"If the Israelis were prepared to go to such lengths against the Iraqis just because they were building a reactor, what security is there for the rest of us?" said a former colleague of Meshad.

## Mao blamed for death of millions

By Jonathan Mirsky

LONDON — Chairman Mao's record as an economic leader is castigated in two recent assessments of his rule. One holds him responsible for the death of millions from starvation after the 1958 "Great Leap Forward." Another limits China's periods of economic success to the first years after the establishment of the People's Republic in 1949 and the "three years of readjustment," ending with the Cultural Revolution in 1966.

These judgments consign to the scrap-heap more than half the lifespan of Communist rule in China, and are a severe indictment of Maoism. The significance of the now-favored years 1964-66, "when the economy revived and developed relatively quickly," is that Mao's authority was in eclipse and national leadership lay in the hands of Liu Shaoqi and Deng Xiaoping, Mao's chief victims when he initiated the Cultural Revolution.

Deng and his allies have spent the four years of the re-emergence since the chairman's death in late 1976 grappling with how to build socialism in a poor country. Against veiled opposition from Mao loyalists, they have altered China's course from perpetual revolution to the present concentration on productivity.

Dengists maintain the un-Maoist view that certain economic laws are independent of politics. Now that socialism has been achieved, they say, China must adopt the management policies, investment, cost-accounting, and even employment practices which have brought relative success to the capitalist West. Since under socialism, exploitation is deemed no longer possible, even profit, "getting rich," and inequality are permissible.

One example of the attacks on Maoist dogma is the announcement by the State Council ordering communes to stop producing cigarettes, cotton goods and pharmaceuticals on the assumption that state-run factories can produce the same goods cheaper and better. Although cloaked in rhetorical assurances that communal factories are indispensable, the orders make clear that rural industry must no longer develop on its own, a hall-mark of the Great Leap Forward in 1958, when even steel — of terrible quality, it emerges — was produced in backyard foundries.

The State Council's instructions will affect 30 million workers in commune-run factories, whose wages are higher than those of their comrades in the fields, and who produce more than a third of communal income. Instead, peasants are now urged by the Central Committee and the State Council to direct their energies to China's non-arable areas, to increase the production of industrial crops, forestry products, fisheries, and all side-line activities which generate a profit locally and do not threaten national efficiency.

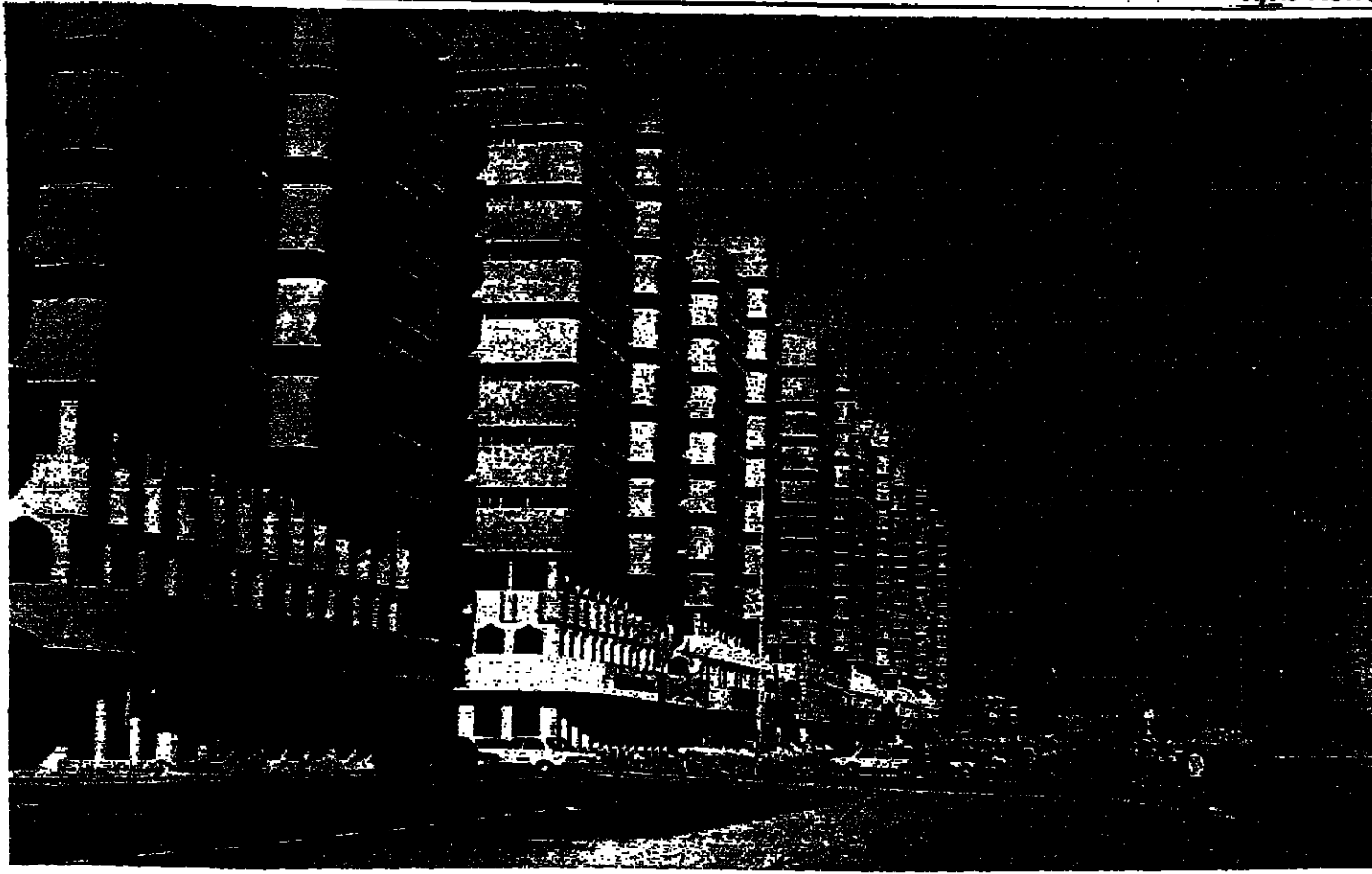
Also out of favor is Mao's hallowed directive to concentrate on grain — but here the party needs to tread carefully. Last year saw a 15 million ton grain shortfall and tens of millions of peasants are facing starvation from flood and drought. In December last year, the *People's Daily* was already drawing attention to serious food shortages. More recent publications have pinned such shortages not only on the weather but on egalitarianism — another Maoist ideal, which is now said "to bind the peasants' hand and foot," and stifle competition.

## Letter to the editor

Sir,  
Your editorial of June 10, 1981 "Gangsterism," was highly inspiring to boost the morale of the Arab nation for unity which is the prime target of Israel's dastardly aggression. This Zionist aggressive expansionist policy can only be stopped through a united Arab stand. My kudos to your valuable editorial.

Yours faithfully,  
Chandra  
P.O. Box 3511  
Riyadh

Handwritten signature in Arabic script.



**BUILDING ACTIVITY:** The main part of Al Bourj Avenue showing rows of new structures that will soon be occupied by financial institutions.

## UAE business increasing Al Bourj Ave. economy booms

Gulf Bureau

SHARJAH — Economic activities in the United Arab Emirates received a sudden shot in the arm when it was announced that oil had been discovered nearby. The prestigious Al Bourj Avenue here, when modern buildings blend Islamic architecture with modern technology, promises to be the emirate's new main financial center.

According to UAE financial sources, a number of financial institutions plan to move their offices to this area. Many banks are even

planning to move their headquarters here. Meanwhile moves are already underway by some leading business entrepreneurs in the emirate to set up the main currency exchange center in this avenue.

United Arab Bank has already moved its head office to this area and Sheikh Abdul Aziz bin Mohammed Al Qassemi, president of the Sharjah Chamber of Commerce and Industry ceremonially inaugurated it. The other banks which have already made arrangements to move their emirate's head offices here include National Bank of Sharjah, National Bank of Abu Dhabi, and The

First National Bank of Chicago.

The other main banks based in the emirate were Barclays Bank, British Bank of the Middle East, Bank of Credit & Commerce Int. (overseas), Bank of Credit & Commerce Int. (S.A.), Grindlays Bank, Chartered Bank, Commercial Bank of Dubai, Bank of Oman, Bank of Sharjah, Bank Saderat, Bank Melli Iran, Arab Bank Ltd. Banque De l'Indochine Et, Banque Du Liban D'outre MWR S.A.L. and Habib Bank Ltd.

Another influential establishment to shift its entire operation to this area is the Sharjah Chamber of Commerce and Industry.

## German show prepares way for exchange

By Iqbal S. Hussain

BONN, (INP) — Cultural rarities and artistic exhibits from Saudi Arabia were presented here during a recent exhibition. The exhibition comprising a large extent of items ranging from costumes, carpets and jewellery to musical instruments, old weapons and oil paintings was opened in the presence of several envoys, journalists, high officials and dignitaries from various walks of life.

Dr. Kurt Muller, Head of the Cultural Division of the Foreign Office, speaking on the occasion paid rich tribute to the cultural heritage of Saudi Arabia which binds it not only with Islamic nations all over the world but also with the Europeans in the west. He hoped the exhibition would contribute toward cultivating cultural relations with the Middle East.

Since the exhibition was arranged with an interesting range of items which drew the attention of the German and international audience, the event was evaluated to have paved the way for a series of cultural exchanges between the Federal Republic of Germany and Saudi Arabia.

Yusuf Mutabakani, Head of the Chancery at the Saudi Embassy in Bonn, underscored the significance of the exhibition by emphasizing that Islamic traditions are deeply rooted in the Saudi society. The exhibits presented in Bonn reflected the religious and cultural aspects of Muslim life as well.

The exhibition contained paintings and photographs depicting panoramic views, historical monuments and archaeological antiquities of the Kingdom. Through a series of illustrations an attempt was made to provide an insight into some of the antiquities which date back to the beginnings of human settle-



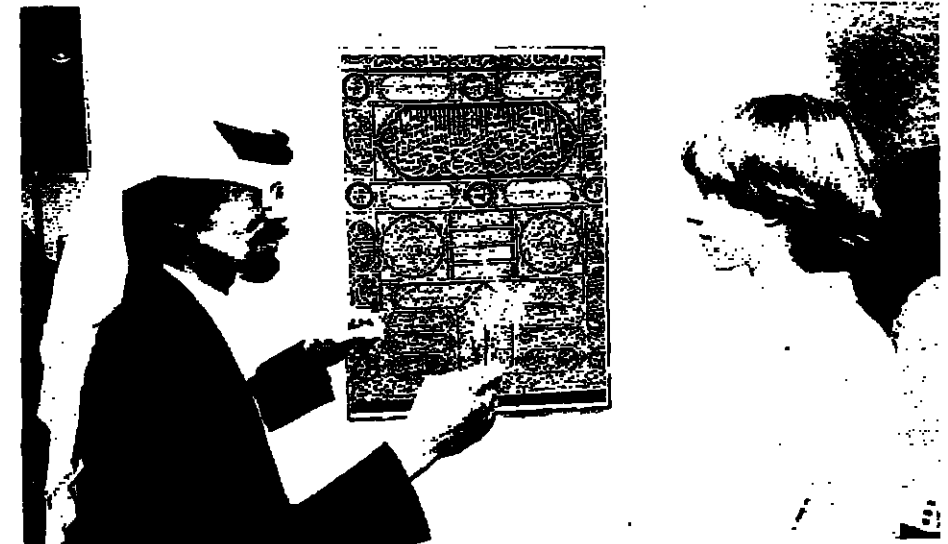
**POPULAR EXHIBIT:** Visitors view various Saudi Arabian cultural rarities and works of art in Bonn.

ments on the Arabian peninsula to the recent past.

Saudi Arabia, according to exhibition spokesmen, occupies a unique position as the heartland of the Islamic heritage. This heritage was underlined by presentations of important historical monuments. "Darb Zubaida," or "Pilgrim's Road" was highlighted as one of the most significant Islamic

architectural monument of the Kingdom which dates to the early days of Islam.

The viewers were given an opportunity to have a look at the extent of bird life in the country. Color photographs and postcards were available to show a remarkable number of birds ranging from such common European species as Starlings, Swallows, and Thrushes to the more exotic Ibis.



**ISLAMIC CALIGRAPHY:** One of the pieces of artwork is explained by an Arab visitor to a German schoolboy.

## Housing program underway 8,000 units are occupied

Gulf Bureau

DUBAI, — An over-all housing program which will provide every family in the United Arab Emirates (UAE) with modern housing and all necessities has been started by the UAE government.

More than 10,000 houses are already under construction in all emirates. Housing development is now underway in Abu Dhabi, Dubai, Sharjah, Rjman, Umm Al Quwain, Ras Al Khaimah, Fujera, Al Ain and Khor Fakkan.

UAE citizens living both in cities and in distant village areas already have received more than 8,000 housing units. Village settlements were provided with basic necessities like water, electricity, schools, mosques and roads which connect them to nearby main highways and cities.

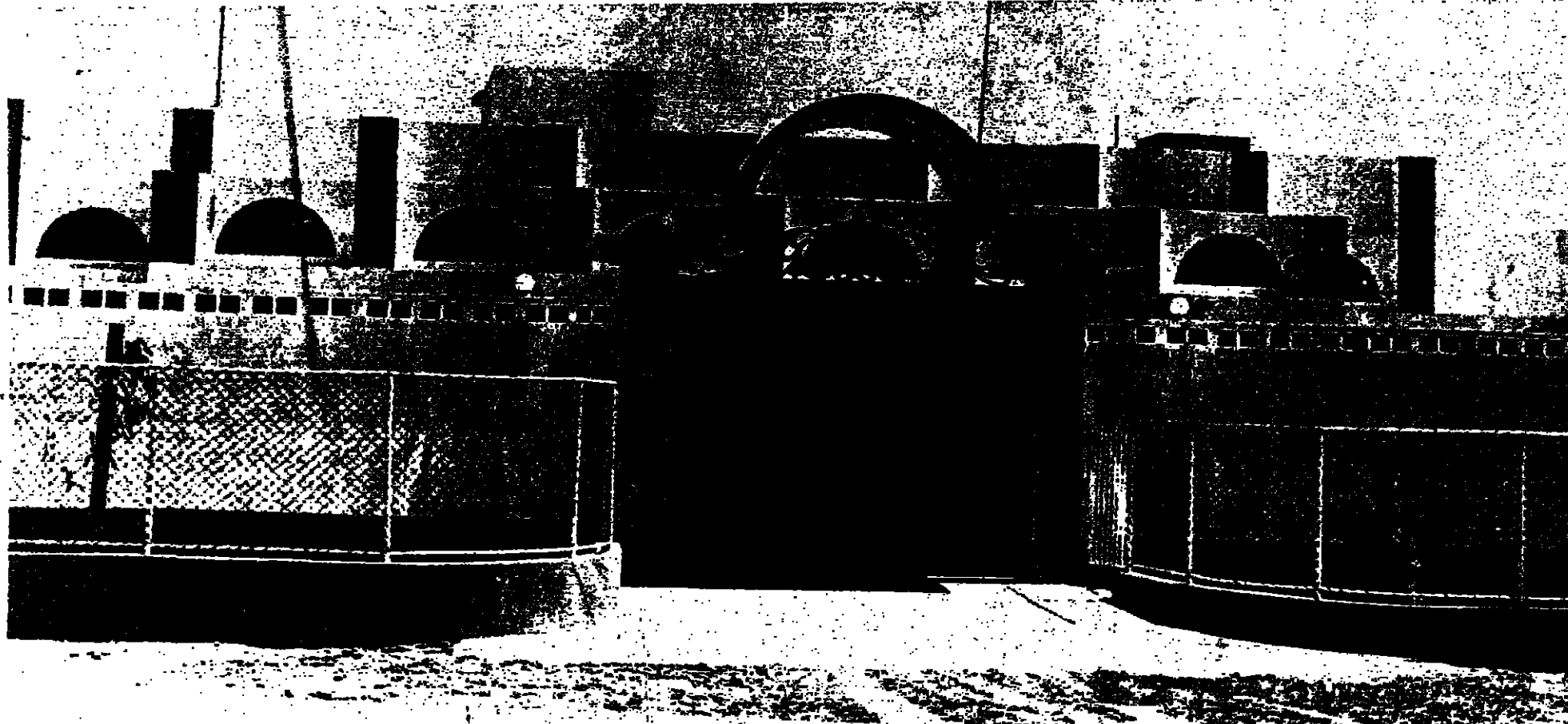
Many remote areas have been changed by the UAE housing program. It was an unexpected windfall for many villagers who received modern homes overnight. "It is the case of a dream coming true," said one enterprising old man. Villagers were provided with modern water facilities which enables them to conduct traditional cultivation activities on a small scale. In the past, the villagers used to draw water from wells, for both cultivation as well as drinking purposes, using traditional methods involving long hours of labor. Pumps are now used to provide water for irrigation while huge water tanks provide

clean water for domestic use.

While the central government has taken steps to provide better housing facilities, His Highness Sheikh Rashid Bin Saeed Al Maktoum, the UAE vice president and prime minister, has in his capacity as Ruler of Dubai, undertaken to provide each family in Dubai a new house and has begun massive low cost housing projects throughout the emirate similar to such projects undertaken on a national scale in the other emirates. Free houses are provided for people who applaud the generous attitude of their government in overcoming a basic need.

The houses are designed to especially suit the extreme climatic conditions and are built with the customs and traditions of the people in mind. Single story houses, located on lots measuring from 100x100 and 80x80 feet are covered on all four sides with parapet walls to ensure the privacy of each house. Within this unit, three separate structures have been built, a visitor's room, popularly called *maglis*, kitchen and the bed rooms. Units have two and three bed rooms available.

More than 10,000 new housing units are expected to be completed and handed over to the people before the end of this year. Similar plans are to be undertaken to ensure that every citizen is provided with a house. Under this plan, according to a spokesman for the Ministry of Public Works and Housing, almost every citizen will be provided with a new house within a couple of years.



**NEW HOUSE:** One of the 8,000 new houses which were recently turned over to families in Dubai. There are 10,000 more houses now under construction.

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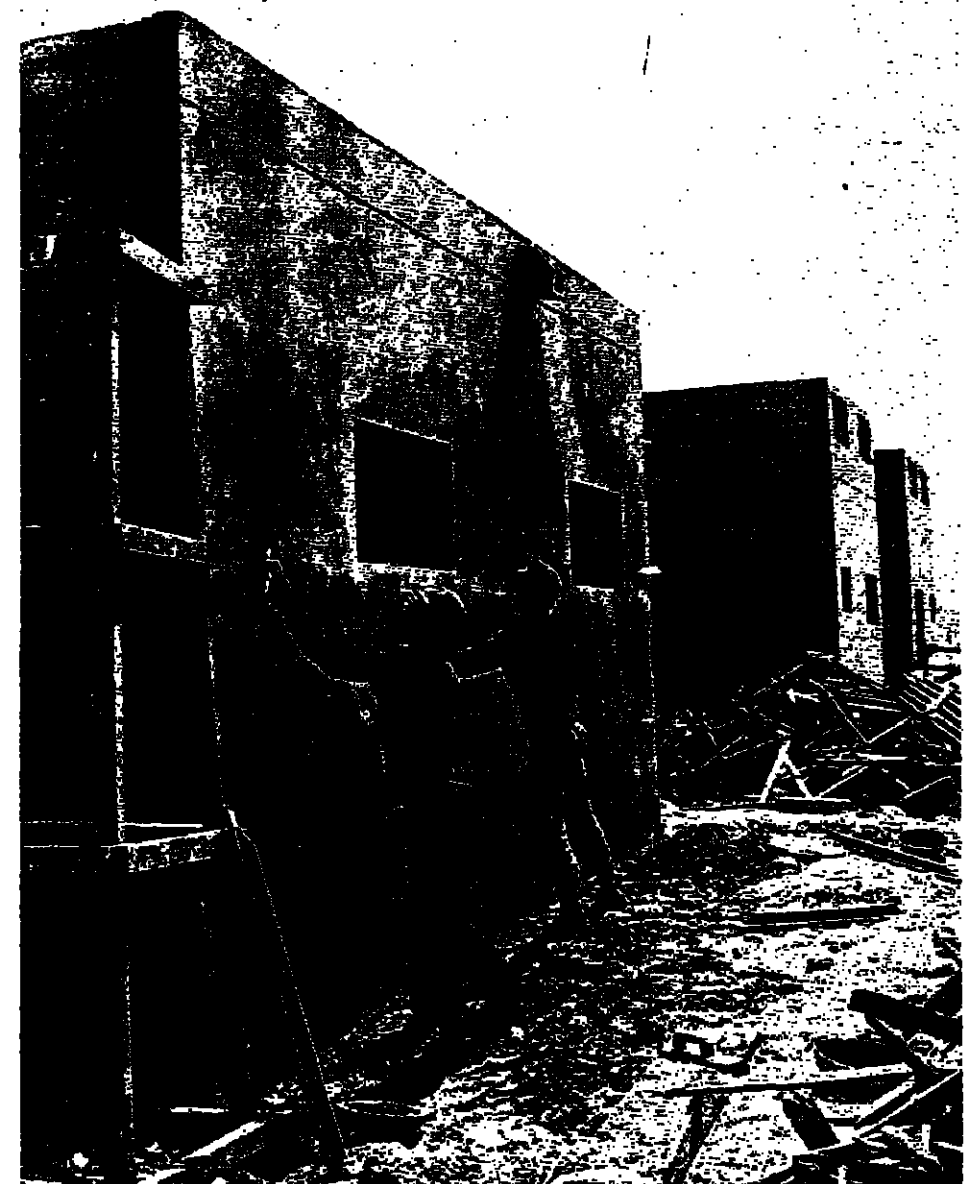
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**FINAL TOUCHES:** Plasterers complete the outside walls of one of the new houses.



## Unilateral restraint assured

## Soviets shift stance on nuclear missiles

MOSCOW, June 15 (AP) — A senior Soviet official has indicated that the Soviet Union is prepared to show "unilateral restraint" on the stationing of nuclear missiles in Europe if the United States resumes negotiations on the weapons.

Former U.S. Secretary of State Cyrus Vance, here for an international forum on disarmament, said Sunday the proposal appeared to indicate a shift in the conditions under which the Kremlin would negotiate on European missiles.

Georgy Arbatov, a leading Communist Party member and another member of the forum, suggested that, with the start of talks, the Kremlin would not deploy additional medium-range nuclear missiles in Europe until 1983.

Arbatov also said at a news conference that his country would not insist the United States stop producing similar weapons of its own, for possible deployment later.

In 1983, the United States plans to begin deployment 572 new medium-range nuclear missiles in West Europe, targetable on the Soviet Union. U.S. officials say the missiles will help offset an estimated 200 Soviet missiles already in place.

The statements by Vance and Arbatov gave "a new gloss" to a February proposal by Soviet President Leonid Brezhnev for both sides to freeze deployment and "all preparations" for the deployment of such missiles.

Brezhnev's offer was rejected by the Reagan administration and its NATO partners on the grounds that the Soviets already had missiles in place and the West needed to continue research and development.

"When I read the (Brezhnev) language originally, it seemed to me that what was being said was that a condition was being placed on the moratorium, and that it was not a unilateral moratorium on the part of the U.N. chief leaves China

PEKING, June 15 (R) — United Nations Secretary-General Kurt Waldheim left Peking for New York Monday after what aides described as a successful visit in which he reviewed world trouble spots with Chinese leaders. Waldheim concluded his visit, his first here for two years, with talks lasting more than one hour with Premier Zhao Ziyang who reaffirmed China's support for the world organization, a U.N. spokesman said.

The spokesman said the issue of Waldheim's seeking an unprecedented third five-year term as secretary-general was not raised in his talks here. China opposed Waldheim's election in 1971 and re-election in 1976. It is said to favor someone from Asia, Africa or Latin America.

Soviet Union," Vance told reporters Sunday.

"Arbatov today put a gloss on that, which is, I think, quite different...The gloss was that it was a unilateral statement on their part that they were prepared to halt (deploying missiles in Europe) and the further gloss was that the words applied not to research and development but only to deployment, and that's quite a big difference."

Arbatov characterized his proposal to reporters as a restatement of what Brezhnev told the 26th Soviet Communist Party congress last Feb. 23. "I can only repeat once again that the (Brezhnev) proposal was made not just to establish a balance in Europe but as a step to make for easier negotiations and starting negotiations immediately," said Arbatov, who is also director of Moscow's Institute of the U.S. and Canada.

Under the proposal set forth by Arbatov on Sunday, the Soviet Union would still enjoy the same numerical advantage on medium-range nuclear missiles in Europe that it has now. But the Kremlin's advantage would not grow through 1983.

## Mother sacked for second baby

PEKING, June 15 (R) — A senior Chinese official in a northern commune who was in charge of making sure each couple had only one child, has been sacked for having a second baby herself, a newspaper reported.

Saturday's *Tianjin* daily, available in Peking Sunday said Mrs. Zan Yongfen's behavior had sabotaged the birth control campaign and had an extremely bad influence on the commune, where nearly 100 extra babies had been born without permission as a result of her example.

China, the world's most populous nation with almost one billion people, is trying to restrict births to one per couple in an attempt to stabilize the total at 1.2 billion by the year 2000. A rigid system has been introduced throughout most of the country under which couples must apply for permission to give birth.

Mrs. Zan was vice chairman of the Zhangwo commune's management committee and in charge of birth control there. Her firstborn had been a girl and, in the tradition of Chinese peasants, she apparently felt it imperative to try for a son despite the campaign she herself was conducting.

After her second child was born and the authorities discovered her deception, Mrs. Zan was sacked from all her posts and the case was publicized as a warning to others.



TRAIN ACCIDENT VICTIM: Villagers of Badia Ghat, scene of India's worst railroad disaster, reach into the waters of the Bagmati River Saturday, a week after the accident, to drag another body ashore. Hundreds of people died on June 6, when seven overcrowded cars of a passenger train plunged from a bridge into the river where a number of bodies still remain.

## Hundreds of homes damaged

## Storm, floods kill 10 in U.S.

NEW YORK, June 15 (AP) — Lightning, floods and tornadoes killed 10 persons as thunderstorms churned across the central and eastern United States over the weekend, forcing residents to flee by the hundreds to escape high waters.

Sunday afternoon, a storm system in Minnesota spawned tornadoes that chewed

through the Minneapolis-St. Paul area. At least 76 persons were injured, two of them critically, officials said. There were no immediate reports of fatalities.

One boy was missing and more than 100 were injured in flooding in Illinois, while a twister killed livestock in Iowa and hail piled nearly two feet deep on some parts of Nebraska.

In the tiny Ohio community of Cardington, a tornado Saturday carved a path of destruction that Governor James Rhodes said was proportionately the worst in the state's history. Four persons were killed and at least 53 others injured in the storm. About 171 homes and 29 businesses were heavily damaged in the community of 2,000 and 50 persons were left homeless.

In Minnesota, more than 60 persons were injured Sunday by a tornado in Roseville, a suburb just north of St. Paul. A few miles to the southwest, in southern Minneapolis, officials said another tornado injured at least eight persons as it uprooted trees, sometimes smashing them into automobiles, and downed power lines.

In the northwestern Ohio town of Findlay, about 400 persons had to be evacuated from their homes because of flooding. Flooding took two lives in central Texas and one in Baltimore, Maryland. At least three persons were killed by lightning.

Magistrates investigating the accident sealed the entrance to the well Sunday and said their first priority was to establish the cause of the accident.

## Indian state hit by strike

NEW DELHI, June 15 (Agencies) — A student-led general strike paralyzed much of the northeastern state of Assam Monday. Bankers, government workers and private businesses stayed off the job in a show of support for the students, the United News of India reported.

The students have spearheaded a 20-month-long agitation to demand the deportation of alleged millions of aliens who have entered the state illegally. Some 250 persons have died in various clashes since the protests began. UNI said police also arrested 19 persons in Sibsagar township on various charges, but that no violence was reported.

Monday's work stoppage was called to protest the recent arrests of several youth leaders and the rising cost of living. UNI said many government offices were deserted as employees stayed away from work to show solidarity with the students, who boycotted their classes Monday. Talks between the agitators and Prime Minister Indira Gandhi's government have failed to produce an accord on the problem.

Meanwhile, one person was killed and several were injured Sunday when police fired on troublemakers during assembly and parliamentary by-elections in the northern state of Bihar when attempts were made to seize ballot papers. Attempted intimidation was also reported in Uttar Pradesh.

## To teach a lesson

## Red Brigades repentant's brother kidnapped

ROME, June 15 (AP) — The kidnapping of a young electrician by the Red Brigades has struck a hard blow at a group of Italians with a price on their heads — the so-called "repentants" who have turned against their former guerrilla comrades.

They are the most guarded prisoners in Italian jails, the objects of insults and death threats when they arrive in court to testify from bullet-proof witness stands against other gang members.

Unable to penetrate the jail security, the Red Brigades have instead grabbed the 25-year-old brother of the most despised of the group of repentants, Patrizio Peci, whose testimony has led to the arrests of 60 members of the gang. Roberto Peci was abducted last Wednesday night while returning to his home near Turin and the Red Brigades have said they will put him on "trial" as a lesson to his "infamous" brother.

Patrizio Peci, 28, along with five other former members of the Red Brigades and its ideological ally Front Line have helped police to finally make major advances in their decade-long battle against violence. In return for their collaboration, a law passed last year allows a cut of up to two-thirds of their jail terms.

A former waiter, Peci confessed after his capture in February 1980 to have taken part in 16 attacks and shootings with the Piedmont cell of the Red Brigades. Newspapers report that Peci will probably be pardoned and given a false identity in another country, but in the meantime he lives in fear for his life. An entire prison wing has been set apart for him and to guard against poisoning attempts the prison staff first taste his meals.

"They say I'm a traitor," the neatly dressed chain-smoking Peci told reporters when he showed up to testify at the start of the trial, "but this is not true. I spent six years with the Red Brigades, but today I recognize the political failure of our struggle. We were wrong, that's why I am collaborating."

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RED BRIGADES' HOSTAGES: File pictures of Renzo Sandrucci (left), an automobile executive, Giuseppe Tallero (center), head of petrochemical plant at Portomarghera, and Ciro Cirillo, a Christian Democrat leader of Naples, kidnapped by the Red Brigades recently.

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## Violence erupts in S. African township

JOHANNESBURG, South Africa, June 15 (AP) — Blacks stoned two buses and set them on fire Monday on the eve of the fifth anniversary of the Soweto riots that left an estimated 600 persons dead around the country, the South African Press Association (SAPA) reported.

A police spokesman said no one was hurt in the incident in the Evaton township outside Vereeniging, 64 kms south of Johannesburg. The bus passengers, who were black, said they were ordered out of the buses and told not to go to work to observe a period of mourning. The buses were subsequently stoned and set on fire, the passengers said.

Police arrived shortly thereafter and helped put out the fires. SAPA said most of the workers went to work using other transport. There has been no indication yet of any widespread work boycott in connection with the anniversary. And it was business as usual in Soweto, the sprawling township of more than 1.5 million blacks outside Johannesburg. SAPA said. Police patrolling the township and roadblocks were set up, SAPA reported.

Some militant blacks have been trying to organize a job boycott by the 20-million black majority to mourn the deaths in the riots. The disturbances began June 16, 1976, in Soweto with a student protest over compulsory use of the Afrikaans language in black schools. The violence eventually spread throughout the country.

Afrikaans is the language of the Dutch-descended whites who settled in South Africa in the 17th century. These people, called Afrikaners, make up 58 percent of the white population of some five million and dominate the white-minority government.

Singapore premier to meet with Reagan

SINGAPORE, June 15 (AFP) — Singapore Prime Minister Lee Kuan Yew will have talks with United States President Ronald Reagan and other American leaders in Washington later this week, it was learned here Monday. Lee, who is expected to leave here Tuesday, will also meet Vice President George Bush and Defense Secretary Caspar Weinberger. But it is unlikely that he will see Secretary of State Alexander Haig, who is now in China.

Lee is the first ASEAN leader to visit the United States since the Republicans took office. Lesser officials have exchanged views with the administration, including Singapore's Deputy Prime Minister Sinnathamby Rajaratnam and Thailand's Foreign Minister Air Marshal Siddi Sawetasil.

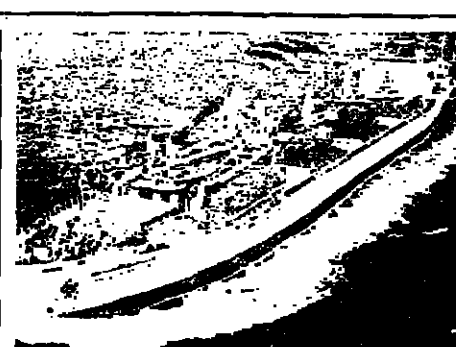
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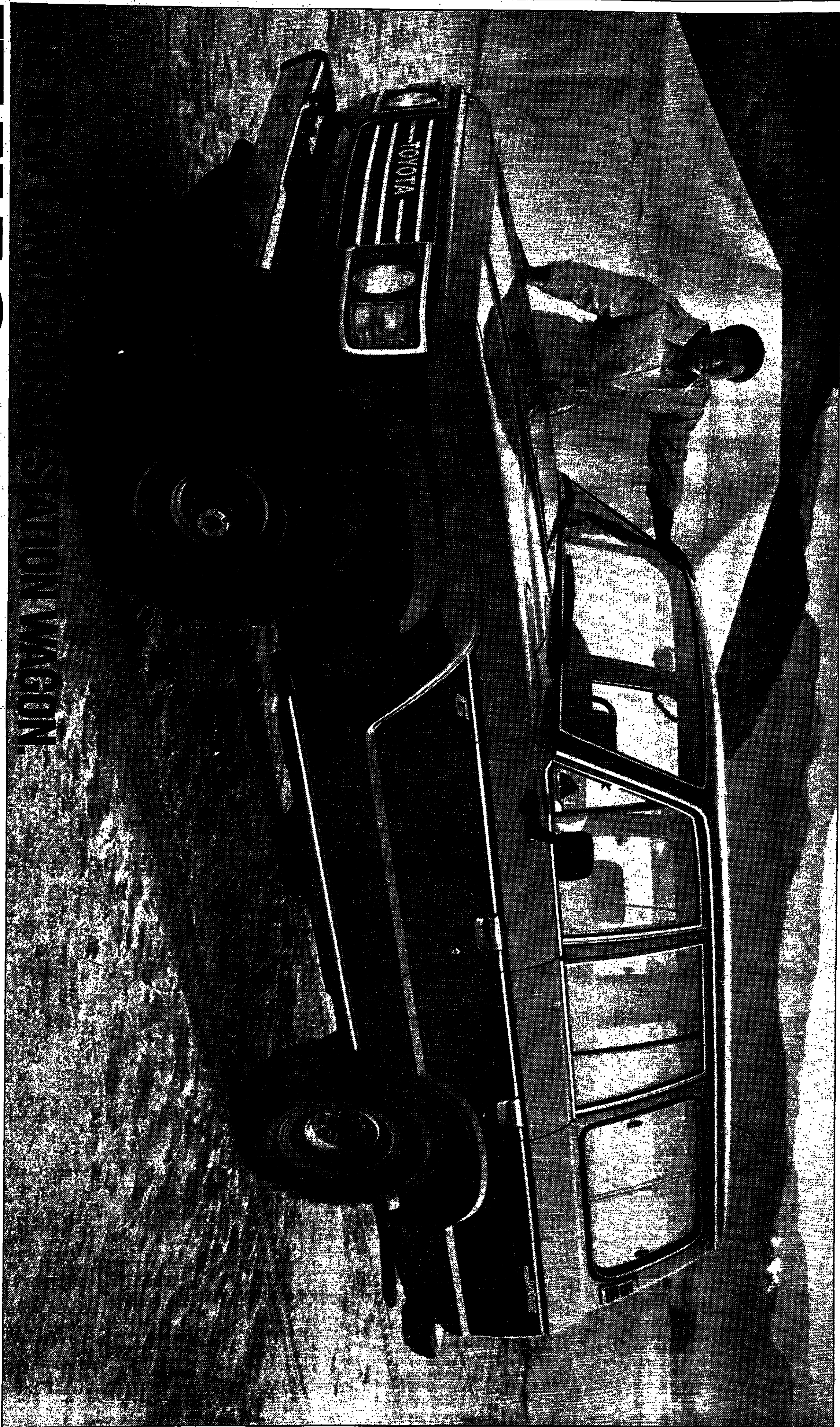
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## Troops on alert

## U.K. ambulance staff threaten 1-day strike

LONDON, June 15 (R) — Troops are on alert in Britain ready to take over emergency services during strikes planned by ambulance workers this week.

National union leaders representing Britain's ambulance workers have called an official one-day strike Wednesday, instructing the crews to provide emergency cover. But militant union leaders in London, angry at the government's refusal to increase a pay offer of six percent have said they will strike and not answer emergency calls.

Last week, crews in Scotland staged lightning strikes without emergency cover and they say they will not answer emergencies during Wednesday's strike either.

The government, already unmoved by widespread industrial action by civil servants, has said it hopes troops will not be needed but it will not hesitate to back up voluntary workers and police if they are unable to cope with emergencies. Ambulance men have been caught by the same anti-inflation curbs on public wage increases as the civil servants.

Their leaders have rejected the government's offer of a six percent increase now or

7.5 percent over 15 months and said they want to be classified with the police and fire brigade — who earn higher basic wages — as an emergency service.

The nine civil service unions representing some half million public employees have disrupted airports, passport and tax offices, social welfare payments and defense bases over the last 14 weeks in their campaign for a 15 percent pay rise.

British Airways said Friday the dispute had cost it at least £20 million (\$40 million). But as the prospect grows that the unions could be finding it increasingly costly to carry through its stoppages, the government has hardened its attitude over its seven percent pay offer.

Last week, 1,000 workers were suspended for refusing to handle state welfare checks. And about 20 of the honor's that would normally have been due to civil servants in a list marking Queen Elizabeth's official birthday were withheld. Although the civil servants' campaign has not won much public sympathy, some opposition members in parliament have reacted angrily to the latter move, calling it a manipulation of the honors.

## To combat inflation

## States urged to prune deficits

BASEL, June 15 (R) — The Bank for International Settlements (BIS) Monday urged governments to cut back budget deficits to help fight inflation and appealed to them to refrain from acting selfishly in their economic policies.

Writing in the final chapter of the bank's annual report, General Manager Guenther Schleimer said international cooperation was the most effective bulwark against another collapse of the world economy as in the 1930s.

"The Western world is already paying a high price for having tolerated too high an inflation rate for too long," he said. "If, in the present decisive phase, confidence in the effectiveness of international cooperation were to be shaken, the price would be greater still."

He criticized U.S. monetary control techniques because the resulting volatility in interest rates led to wide fluctuations of the dollar on exchange markets. This caused concern in many European countries heavily dependent on foreign trade, he said. The BIS provides banking services for central banks and is a forum for monthly meetings of central bank governors.

Western governments were right to have given priority to beating inflation in the past year, "but they were less well advised to rely chiefly, if not exclusively, on monetary pol-

icy," the BIS general manager wrote. Since prices and incomes reacted slowly to restrictive monetary policy, there was a risk under employment would persist too long, making the social and political implications intolerable. This could lead to premature abandonment of anti-inflationary initiatives, which he said would be a setback of incalculable proportions.

Present large budget deficits and a curb on the money supply led to a steep rise in interest rates, slowing the investment needed to ensure future economic growth, reabsorb unemployment and adjust to oil price increases.

"For this reason, it is urgently necessary to alter the current policy mix by reducing public sector borrowing requirements," he concluded. The BIS report itself said a number of developed countries reacted better to the sharp increase in oil prices of 1979/80 than they did to the first oil price shock of 1974/75.

The report said the recycling of surplus funds by members of the Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries (OPEC) countries as a result of the price rises of 1979-80 had been easier than expected. This was because the corresponding balance of payment deficits had been concentrated largely on wealthy countries with low inflation such as West Germany, which could borrow relatively easily on international capital markets.

## Tehran acts to check hike in gold price

TEHRAN, June 15 (R) — Iran's new central bank governor has said the bank would intervene if necessary to prevent what he called artificial increases in the price of gold in the Tehran bazaar which is the center of trade in precious metals.

Mohsen Nourbakhsh, named governor last week after the resignation of Ali Reza Nobari, said in an interview with state radio: "I declare that the central bank will intervene in the bazaar if necessary." He said the bank would offer gold to the bazaar to prevent further gold price increases.

"We have enough foreign exchange in store and we can control gold prices by offering gold to the bazaar," he said. The price of the Azadi gold sovereign, one of two gold coins traded in the bazaar, rose 23 percent over two days last week. The increase followed the resignation of Nobari and street clashes over the future of President Abolhasan Bani-Sadr.

At the end of the week, the price of the Azadi had reached 47,000 rials (\$587.50 at the current official exchange rate). It was 35,000 rials (\$437.50) last Sunday after being stable around 28,000 rials (\$350) for most of last month.

Its sharpest increase — a jump of 6,000 rials (\$75) in one day — occurred on Wednesday after the bank governor's resignation.

Nourbakhsh said in Sunday's radio interview the main reasons for the sharp rises were rumors and the political situation in the country. He described the increases as artificial.

President Bani-Sadr, in a statement Friday night in which he called for resistance against tyranny and an alleged plot against his life, also referred to the rising gold price. "The lack of security is so great that the 300 toman (\$37.50) gold coin of two-and-a-half years ago has been boosted to 5,000 toman (\$625)," he said. One toman equals 10 rials.

## Paris air show comes to an end

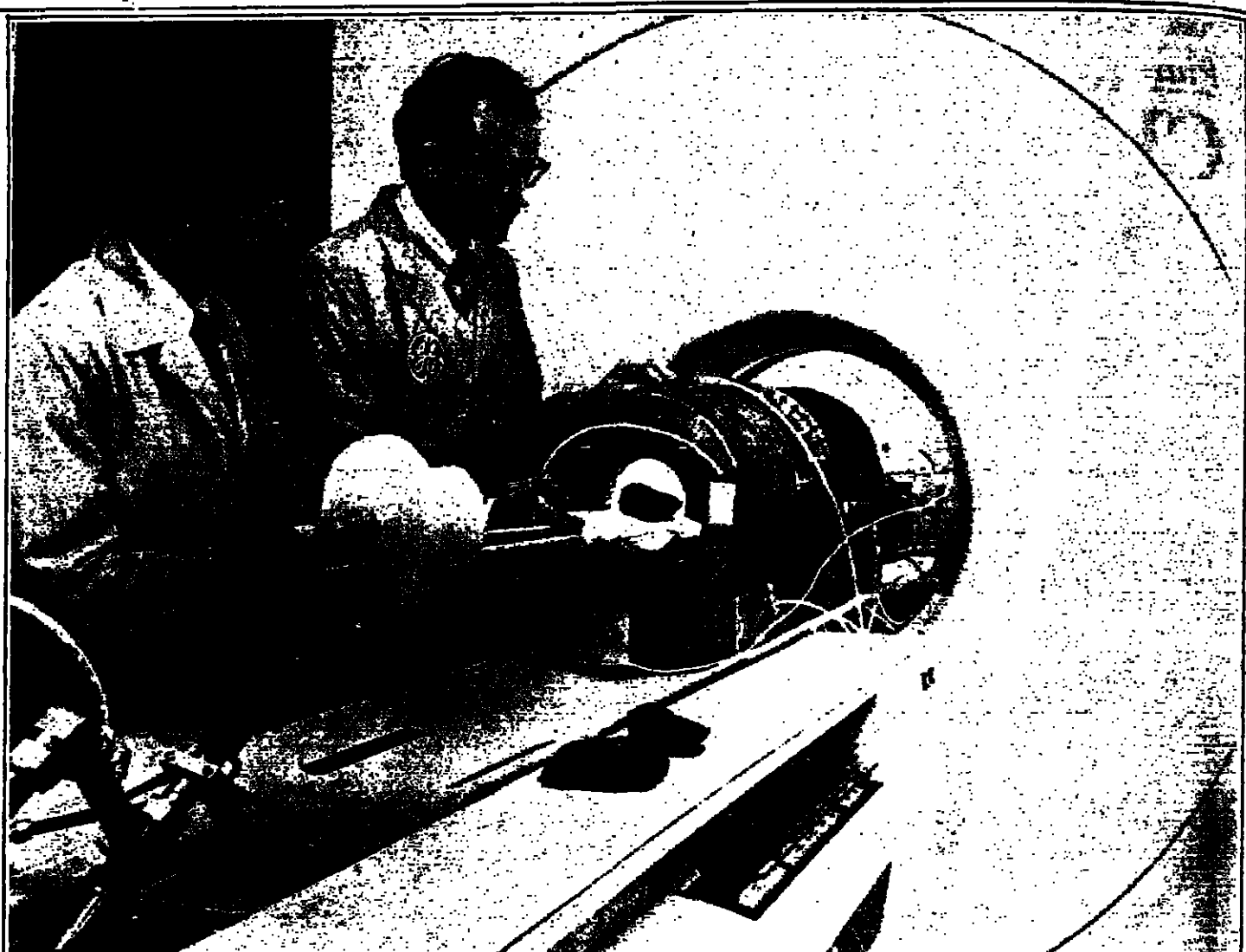
PARIS, June 15 (AP) — Ten days of power dives and public relations ended Sunday with the close of the 34th Paris air show — the world's oldest and most prestigious exhibition of high-powered planes, aviation technology, gadgets and display flying.

The show, held once every two years, has a history of spectacular accidents, the most dramatic of which was the crash of a Soviet supersonic jetliner in 1973. However, tight new safety rules, including a 500-foot (152 meter) limit on low-altitude flying, prevented any major accidents at Le Bourget airfield, outside Paris, for the second show in a row.

The only mishap was more of an embarrassment. The pilot of a West German French-built Transall C-160 Turboprop made a perfect landing, but the pilot forgot to lower his landing gear. He was not injured.

The only casualty related to the show occurred somewhere over the Atlantic when the crew of a single-engine Piper Comanche participating in the Paris-New York-Panama air race disappeared earlier this week. No trace of the plane or the crew — Frenchmen Jacques Masserot and Olivier Reccoin — had been found by Sunday.

The big winner in the race was a twin-engine Piper Navaho flown by an Australian-born businessman Wem Bermuda whose only navigation instrument was a World War II Sextant. Boyd Munro Andnoco-Pilot Russ Hancock of the U.S. completed the two-way crossing in the shortest time and also won the performance category in their class.



**MEN'S FIRST LOOK INTO COAL:** Scientists have built a special furnace and combined it with an advanced medical X-ray scanner. By placing the furnace in the scanner they are now able to actually view fuels, such as coal, react to high degrees of heat in a way man has never seen before. The development is all part of the work now underway at the General Electric Research and Development company of New York, to better understand the properties and potentials of coal and its expanding role in generating power.

## Limiting car exports

## Japan takes the wind off EEC sails

BRUSSELS, June 15 (R) — Japan's handling of the crisis over its soaring car exports to the European Economic Community has dented the prestige of the EEC Commission and shown clear limits to the unity of Europe's Common Market, according to EEC sources.

"The commission hasn't a scrap of ammunition left," a British diplomat commented following the disclosure last week of Japan's intention to limit its car exports this year to West Germany, Belgium, the Netherlands and Luxembourg.

The Japanese moves, revealed just before visits here this week by Prime Minister Zenko Suzuki and Industry Minister Rokusuke Tanaka, dealt a severe blow to the commission's aim of negotiating an EEC-level accord on Japan's car exports.

They effectively left the commission stranded in its role as coordinator of EEC trade policy, with no member states left to defend. If the Benelux countries accept an offer to be made by Tanaka, only Ireland, Greece and Denmark, none of which has a car industry, will be without any arrangement limiting Japanese car sales.

Member states, by entering into bilateral deals, will effectively have undermined the commission, which they had asked to negotiate on their behalf with the Japanese. The commission proposes and implements EEC policy. In its efforts to promote European unity, it has frequently been baulked by community ministers representing the interests of member states.

On the Japanese trade issue, a source of friction between the EEC and Tokyo since 1976, EEC foreign ministers have outwardly favored a community approach.

On May 19, they reiterated a statement

made last November saying that any Japanese measures should "apply to the European community as a whole and not only to certain markets."

The November statement mandated the commission to negotiate with Japan on behalf of the community, apparently endorsing the commission's view that soaring Japanese exports affected industries in all EEC member states, and should, therefore, be dealt with on the European level. But, in practice, member states have done little to facilitate EEC-level negotiations.

France, Britain and Italy have all declined to budge from bilateral arrangements with Tokyo. Now, West Germany has also reached a bilateral arrangement with Tokyo, to which the commission reacted angrily last week, saying it had undermined EEC unity.

The offer to be made to the Benelux countries this week was again secured through bilateral negotiations. "There has been no common market as far as cars are concerned in Europe, so how could we pretend that there was," a Japanese spokesman here said. Because member states have adopted differing policies on cars toward the Japanese, Tokyo has consistently said that the EEC market was not a uniform one, and that an accord with the community was, therefore, impossible.

Apparently acknowledging that the commission's protracted negotiations with Japan had run out of steam, its chief trade negotiator, Sir Roy Denman, said recently that talks this month with the Japanese had amounted to "pretty near zero." Officials insist, however, that the commission will continue its efforts to get Japan to treat the community as a single trading bloc.

A commission document that would prob-

ably go before EEC foreign ministers at a meeting in Luxembourg later this month proposed the phasing out of national restrictions, opening the way for EEC measures, they said. It also suggested the possibility of imposing quota restrictions on imports if the Japanese refused to agree to some kind of statement on the EEC as a whole, they said. "But given the latest developments, one must ask how realistic all this is," one official said.

They suggested that the ministers would concentrate on the fact that there had been no move from Japan to stimulate its imports from the EEC, a demand made in three EEC statements since November. But diplomats privately acknowledge that EEC moves on Japan have been overtaken by events.

"The community, as a block, has not got anywhere in its negotiations with Japan because it has not been able to present a united front," a British diplomat said. Diplomatic sources said there was no indication Japan would deal with the commission rather than member states in other sensitive sectors such as TV tubes and electronic goods.

Japanese sources said Tokyo had concluded bilateral deals with some member states because the possible alternative — quota restrictions — would have been worse. They reiterated Tokyo's view that the main reason for the community's \$11 billion trade deficit with Japan last year was the failure of EEC industries to be competitive.

The commission too has stressed the need for EEC industries to restructure in order to compete with Japan. But, in another illustration of the lack of EEC unity, its plans for common market industries to pool resources in order to modernize more effectively have so far been largely ignored by member states.

## SAUDI ARABIAN GOVERNMENT TENDERS

Authority	Description	Tender No.	Price SR.	Closing Date
Directorate of Health Affairs in Jizaa	Cleaning of Abi Areesh Hospital	—	50	21-6-81
Directorate of Health in the Central Region	Supply of office furniture for 1401/1402	21	100	29-6-81
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3.	Sanix Belle	Kanoo	Gen/Contra.	12.6.81
4.	Saudi Pride	Ori	Rebar/Tiles/Gen.	10.6.81
5.	Chi Grand	Kanoo	Rice/Flour/Poles/General	10.6.81
6.	Kilo	A.A.	Bagged Barley	11.6.81
7.	Golden Yenbo	El Hawi	Steel/Pipes/Plat/Tim.	13.6.81
8.	Kota Mewah	O.C.E.	General	13.6.81
8/9.	Mila Gajalic	Attar	General	13.6.81
11.	Interactivity	Fayez	Bagged Barley	10.6.81
11/12.	Energetic	A.A.	Bagged Barley	10.6.81
12.	Myrtia V	A.A.	Bagged Sugar	15.6.81
15.	Saudi Sun	O.Trade	Timber/Gen.	9.6.81
18.	Zeus - 1	Rolaco	Bulk Cement	6.6.81
21.	Niraua	A.A.	Bagged Barley	9.6.81
23.	Neckar	S.N.L.	Contra./Gen.	11.6.81
24.	Grand Faith	Alireza	Gen./Steel/Bgd.	12.6.81
25.	Ikarian Reefer	O.C.E.	Reefer	14.6.81
26.	Osaka Reefer	O.C.E.	Apples/Grapes	14.6.81
27.	San Francisco Maru	A.E.T.	Contra/Gen/Veh.	13.6.81
28.	Natasha	Algeziarah	Flour/Pipe Fit/Gen.	13.6.81
29.	Bora Universal	Star	Apples/Grapes	14.6.81
30.	Palagos	M.T.A.	Containers	12.6.81
31.	Ming Sun	Minco	Contra/Ldg. Mty	14.6.81
32.	Charlatan Maersk	Kanoo	Containers	14.6.81
35.	Ashraf Al Awwal	O.C.E.	Reefer	13.6.81
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Blue Nile	A.E.T.	Contra./Gen.	14.6.81
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Mercandian Carrier-2	Ori	Trailers/Trac/Gen.	14.6.81
Eldir	Barber	Straddle Carriers	14.6.81
Bowor	O.C.E.	Contra./Steel/Tim.	14.6.81
Rio De Janeiro	Star	Bagged Barley	15.6.81
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28.	Georgia Rainbow	UET	General	13.6.81
34.	Sirring Shan	Ori	General	14.6.81
37.	Paara Fies	Alasbah	General	4.7.78
37.	Pacific Leader (DB)	Alireza	Bulk Cement	14.6.81
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Plunge in output ruled out

# CIA report on Soviet oil disputed

WASHINGTON, June 15 (R) — A Congressional study released criticized the U.S. Central Intelligence Agency's (CIA) projection of Soviet oil supplies as too pessimistic.

In their study, specialists on Soviet energy policy took aim at a recently revised CIA estimate that the Soviet Union would move from an oil exporter to an oil importer by 1990.

"Soviet oil output growth may slow down, level off, or moderately fall, but a sharp fall from over 12 million barrels per day to eight million a day, in our judgment, seems to be an unduly pessimistic projection for 1990," the report said.

John Hardt, senior specialist in Soviet economics at the Library of Congress, led the team of international experts who issued the report released by the joint Congressional Economic Committee. The CIA created a sensation with a 1977 analysis and subsequent reports saying Soviet oil production

would plummet by 1985.

But earlier this year, it revised its forecast that production would drop to eight million barrels a day by 1985, saying production that year would be between 10 and 11 million barrels a day and in 1990 would be eight million barrels a day.

Nevertheless, the study said the CIA projection was considered among the pessimistic outlooks, noting that the economic commission for Europe had forecast production would stay constant or even increase to 14 million barrels a day by 1990. The Soviet Union keeps production figures secret, but says officially that production will be increasing by 1985.

The study noted, however, that even Soviet experts were uncertain and said a leveling off followed by a sharp fall in Soviet output by 1985 was more a possibility than a likelihood.

The specialists said there was reason to believe that if all options available to the

Soviet Union were used to improve its output, "a short-term slowdown may be followed by improved growth rates in oil output after 1985."

The report said a Soviet oil shortage could affect political events in Eastern Europe and cause world oil prices to rise, but added that the Soviet Union could gain an important diplomatic tool if it continued to expand natural gas exports.

The study noted that the Soviet Union needed Western technology to develop its multi-billion-dollar Yamal gas pipeline project, but could get most of its supplies outside the United States. Congressman Gillis Long, a Louisiana Democrat and chairman of an economic subcommittee, said in a separate statement he was concerned about the economic and political implications of funding the pipeline from western Siberia to Europe.

Last week, President Reagan was asked by Utah Senator Jake Garn and two other Republican Congressmen to take immediate action to halt U.S. participation in the project, saying it could lead to the 'Finlandization' of Western Europe.

The pipeline, due for completion in 1985 or 1987, would carry gas across Eastern Europe and hook up with West European pipelines to deliver about 1,500 billion cubic feet of gas a year.

## Foreign Exchange Rates

Quoted at 5:00 P.M. Tuesday

	SAMA	Cash	Transfer
Belgium Franc (1,000)	87.00	111.00	9.04
Canadian Dollar	2.85	—	2.83
Deutsche Mark (100)	142.00	144.25	144.10
French Franc (100)	127.00	129.60	129.40
Japanese Yen (100)	—	4.02	4.23
Swiss Franc (100)	—	—	92.75
British Pound (100)	60.00	61.00	60.35
Italian Lira (1,000)	—	63.00	59.10
Spanish Peseta (100)	—	—	39.90
U.S. Dollar	—	25.00	—
Yemeni Rial (100)	—	8.00	—
Israeli Lira (10,000)	28.00	29.25	29.10
Japanese Yen (1,000)	14.90	—	15.25
Jordanian Dinar	—	10.17	10.15
Kuwaiti Dinar	—	12.18	12.16
Lebanese Lira (100)	—	80.00	79.50
Moroccan Dirham (100)	—	66.00	62.40
Pakistan Rupee (100)	—	—	34.45
Philippine Peso (100)	—	—	43.40
Pound Sterling	6.61	6.79	6.76
Qatari Riyal (100)	—	—	93.60
Singapore Dollar (100)	—	—	158.10
Spanish Peseta (1,000)	—	—	36.20
Swiss Franc (100)	161.00	165.75	165.60
Syrian Lira (100)	—	52.65	52.10
Turkish Lira (1,000)	—	33.50	—
U.S. Dollar	3.40	3.4090	3.4020
Yemeni Rial (100)	—	74.50	74.20

Cash and Transfer rates are supplied by Al-Rajhi Company for Currency Exchange and Commerce, Gabel St. Jeddah Tel: 6428932

## U.S. bank cuts prime rate to 19%

NEW YORK, June 15 (AP) — Chemical Bank, one of major U.S. banks, cut its prime lending a full percentage point to 19 percent Monday amid predictions of a quick decline in interest rates.

Before Monday, only one major bank, Marine Midland, was charging 19.5 percent, with other banks charging 20 percent.

Expectations of a widespread decline in interest rates helped to force the dollar lower in early foreign exchange trading against all major currencies.

The reduction followed the report late Friday by the Federal Reserve Board that the nation's money supply dropped sharply in the latest reporting week. Many economists had expected an increase, and the decline could indicate the economy is slowing.

"With a slackening economy, we could begin to see a sustained decline in interest rates," said Harold Nathan, an economist at Continental Illinois National Bank and Trust in Chicago. "I think it's the beginning of a trend that will carry the prime rate several points lower by the end of summer," said Jeffrey Leeds, an economist at Chemical Bank.

The prime rate is the base rate charged by banks on loans to commercial and industrial borrowers. Some companies are able to negotiate better rates, but many others pay rates higher than the prime. The rate peaked last December at 21.5 percent before declining to 17 percent in April. It rose as high as 20.5 percent last month before again turning lower.

## London Commodities

	Closing Prices
Gold (\$ per ounce)	471
Silver cash (pence per ounce)	520
3 months	536
Copper cash	897
3 months	897
Tin cash	6380
3 months	6510
Lead cash	358
3 months	366
Zinc cash	424
3 months	425
Aluminium cash	632
3 months	652
Nickel cash	3105
3 months	3150
Sugar August	203
October	204.25
Coffee July	843
September	860
Cocoa July	896
September	828
December	867

Notes: Prices in pence per metric ton. The above prices are provided by Saudi Research & Investment Ltd., P.O. Box 6474, Tel: 6653986, Jeddah.

## Dollar sags; gold moves up

By J.H. Hammond

JEDDAH, June 15 — The dollar opened weak Monday morning against most major currencies, while gold prices went up to \$473 levels. Local rial deposit rates eased further by another 1/2 to one percent in all tenors, continuing Sunday's trend.

Local dealers reported some moderate activity Monday on both the deposit as well as exchange market, but the general mood was one of "cautions expectations" on the immediate future of dollar deposit rates. These fell Monday, precipitating the dollar's easing on the exchange markets, and dealers expect the dollar to fall further unless clear signals are obtained from New York on Monday night from the Federal Reserve Board on the direction of U.S. dollar interest rates.

After falling to a new low level of 5.74 against the dollar, the French franc surprised the markets by recovering to levels of 5.65 levels by mid-afternoon. It would seem that the financial markets seem to think that Socialist overall victory is now possible in the French national assembly elections and that this is preferable to one whereby the Socialist majority is not sufficient enough and thus the Socialists would depend on the Communist members to get reforms through. It would be interesting to see if the franc can maintain its strength over the next few days or if the markets will have second thoughts on the political aspects.

The German mark improved against the dollar to levels of 2.3600 from opening levels of 2.3765. The yen was relatively more stable at 221.00 levels (from 222.00).

but the other dramatic rise against the dollar was registered by the pound sterling which rose by more than three cents to levels of 1.9880 from 1.9660 opening levels. It was only 10 days ago that the pound was trading at levels of 1.93 levels.

On the local exchanges, spot rial against the dollar was quoted at 3.3985 — 95 on opening, but dealers reported some activity by mid-day which took rates up to 3.3995 — 05 indicating some demand for the dollar. Most transactions, however, were for commercial needs as importers still took advantage of the Kingdom's fixed rate parity policy to purchase other currency needs. On the local rial deposit front, rates eased by mid-afternoon in sympathy with dollar deposit rates. One-month JIBOR rates were quoted at 16 1/2 — 17 percent in the morning but gradually fell to 15 1/2 — 16 1/2 percent by late afternoon. There were marked drops in short term.

Rial rates with one week fixed coming at 15 percent a one percent drop over Sunday levels. The long-term rial deposit rates did not change much and were stable at 15 1/2 — 15 3/4 percent. Little activity was reported, however, in these long tenors and dealers reported some liquidity injections which also helped to keep rates down.

Closing gold prices (in U.S. dollars per troy ounce):

London	469.50
Paris	528.29
Frankfurt	473.99
Zurich	472.50
Hong Kong	473.98

## Energy outlook uncertain, IEA says

PARIS, June 15 (AFP) — Energy ministers of the West and Japan were expected Monday to warn oil consuming nations the energy outlook remains basically uncertain and that there is no room for relaxing efforts to make them less dependent on imported oil.

These points were emphasized by most speakers at the 21-nation International Energy Agency began day-long ministerial talks here against the background of a growing oversupply of crude on the world market and an apparent easing of oil prices.

Making his "debut" at an IEA meeting, James Edwards, the new U.S. energy secretary, stressed the importance of IEA cooperation and said it was important to the vital interests of the United States to stand by its commitments.

Edwards gave his colleagues a first-hand run-down of the energy policy of the new Reagan administration, stressing the direct link with general economic policy.

Accompanying Edwards was U.S. Deputy Secretary of State William P. Clark who described the IEA as a "cornerstone of U.S. international energy policy". He also stressed

that IEA countries were getting their oil from various areas of the world where potential problems could arise "at any time".

Japan's Minister for International Trade and Industry, Rokusuke Tanaka, took up this point, stressing the volatility of the Middle East situation and efforts by oil producing countries to adjust their production so as to preserve their resources.

## London stock market

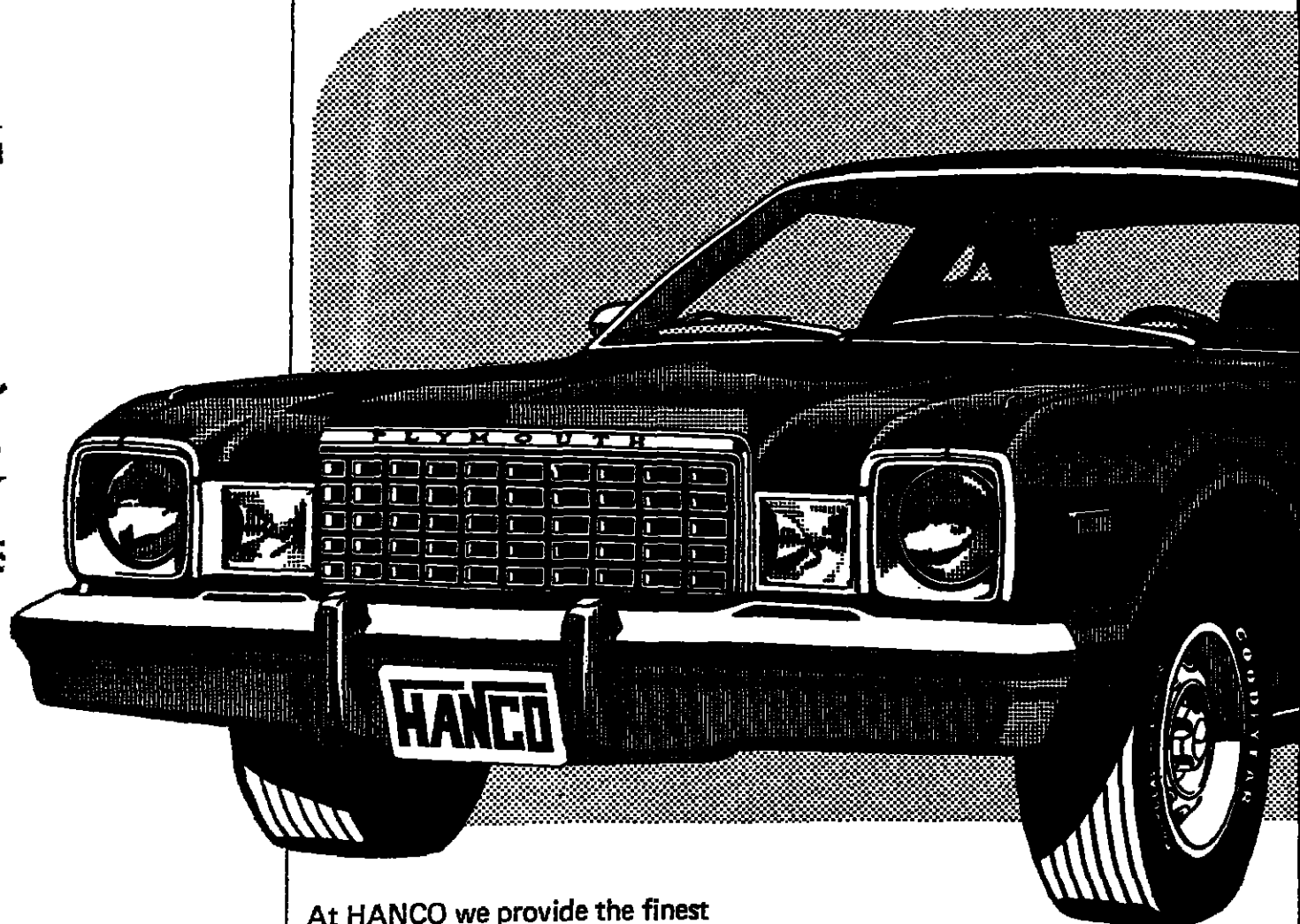
LONDON, June 15 (R) — Equity leaders and the U.K. government bonds were higher in active trading with hopes of declining U.S. interest rates as a major factor in favor of the market, dealers said. At 1500 hours the forward trading index was up 9.6 at 545.4.

Equity leaders showed gains of between 4p and 9p as new account buying emerged following the initial mark-up by jobbers, dealers added. GEC, Guest Keen, ICI, and Glaxo each added at least 6p, while Bowater was 9p higher at 270p. U.S. and Canadian issues were firmer.

Government bonds were actively traded with some longer dated issues showing rises of as much as two points, dealers said.

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## Nagelsen tops in Surbiton

## McEnroe snatches Artois title

LONDON, June 15 (AP) — John McEnroe edged Brian Gottfried 7-6, 7-5 Sunday and won the Stella Artois Grass Courts Tennis Tournament for the third straight year.

With Wimbledon starting a week Monday, McEnroe was pleased with himself. "I always like going into Wimbledon with this title under my belt," he said. "I have played the big points well throughout the week, and that helps my confidence."

McEnroe won a first prize \$20,000 but collected a public warning after some differences of opinion with the umpire, Georgina Clark. After serving a double fault in the second set he shouted at a woman line judge "good ball, lady," and slammed a ball into the canvas about a yard to one side of her.

Clark said: "McEnroe, I am giving you a warning for unsportsmanlike behavior." "Why is it unsportsmanlike?" McEnroe retorted. "Because I used the word lady in your presence?"

The American left-hander, runner-up to Bjorn Borg at Wimbledon last year, said he plans three or four days of hard practice and then will take it easy as Wimbledon approaches.

For the first 25 minutes the two men slammed cannonball serves at each other and showed how grim and relentless tennis can be on grass.

They were deadlocked at four games all, without a single point scored against service. In that period only six services were returned into court.

Gottfried broke the spell in the ninth game with two short service returns that trapped McEnroe into volleying errors. But McEnroe recovered to hold his service, and they battled on to 6-6 and a tiebreaker.

Gottfried led by six points to three in the tiebreaker and had three set points. At that point McEnroe got involved in an argument with the umpire over the places linesman should take up around the court.

Clark moved one linesman from one end of the court to the other, but McEnroe prolonged the scene. "Will you explain the rationale of that?" he shouted to the linesman. The linesman took no notice.

Gottfried broke back at 3-3. He went to a 5-4 lead on service and in the next game had two set points. McEnroe saved both.

Gottfried had a low backhand across the court. McEnroe swung his racket as the ball half hit it and it flew off the wood of his racket high in the air. Instead of smashing, Gottfried waited for the ball to bounce and then hit a weak forehand into the net. That was the end of Gottfried's chances.

In Surbiton, England, Betsy Nagelsen, ranked No. 37 in the world women's tennis

ranking list, defeated Barbara Hallquist 6-3, 5-7, 6-3 to win the Surrey Grass Courts title.

The two Americans played a serve-and-volley duel for a first prize of \$8,500. Nagelsen had staged the shock of the tournament by upsetting Martina Navratilova, the favorite, in the semifinals.

"I did not really have any aspirations beyond the first round," Nagelsen said. "After my big win the semifinals I feared a let-down today, so I pretended it was Martina on the other side of the net."

Monday the women stars begin a tournament at Eastbourne — the last warm-up event before Wimbledon. Nagelsen's first round opponent at Eastbourne is Tracy Austin.

Meanwhile, Yugoslavian unknown Marko Ostaja won the Belgian Open Tennis Championships in Brussels when he upset Ricardo Ycaza of Ecuador in the final.

The 20-year-old Yugoslav, who ranks close to 200 in the world, lost the first set and was down 0-3 in the second when he reversed the trend to beat 53rd ranked Ycaza 4-6, 6-4, 7-5.

In the men's doubles final, Ricardo Cano of Argentina and Andres Gomez of Ecuador defeated Cassio Motta and Carlos Kirmayer, both of Brazil, 6-2, 6-2.

## Donna Caponi edges out Britz, Meyers

MASON, Ohio, June 15 (AP) — Donna Caponi rolled in a 15-foot birdie putt on the final green Sunday to win her second Ladies Professional Golf Association Championship in the last three years.

Caponi and playing partners Jexilyn Britz and Pat Meyers went to the final hole deadlocked at 7-under-par for the 71 holes they had played in this, the first of three majors for the women this year.

Caponi laid up short of the lake and hit her approach shot within 15 feet of the pin. She then rolled in the deciding putt for a 1-over-par 73 and a 72-hole total of 280, 8 under par in the tournament over the Jack Nicklaus Sports Center Grizzly course.

Britz, who also finished second to Caponi in the 1979 LPGA, missed her opportunity for a birdie from 12 feet that would have forced a sudden-death playoff. She left her putt short and to the left of the hole for a 72 and a second-place tie with Meyers.

Meyers missed the green with her third shot, chipped to within four feet and sank the putt to salvage a par 5 on the closing 470-yard hole. She had a 71 and matched Britz's total of 281.

Caponi, winning her fourth major title in 17 professional seasons, earned \$22,500 to push her yearly earnings past \$109,000. She has won almost \$933,000 in her career.

Caponi survived a pair of bogeys at 15 and 17 that cost her the sole lead in the muggy, 95-degree heat. On 17, she injured herself, but survived it to win her 22nd career tournament.

"I hurt my ribcage on the 17th hole in the heavy rough I was in," she said at the post-tournament ceremonies. Caponi left her approach shot 40 feet short of the green, swinging from the rough.

A crying Caponi, in the midst of divorce proceedings from Ken Young, told the huge gallery surrounding the 18th green, "you can't win enough majors. They are the most important thing in the world." Caponi, 36, earlier had won the U.S. Open in 1969 and 1970 before she won this major twice.

Caponi started the day with a two-shot lead over Meyers but lost it with back-to-back bogeys at 6 and 7. Meyers, meanwhile, picked up four shots and assumed sole control of the lead with birdies on the same holes.

Caponi and Meyers either shared or owned the lead until Britz, the 1979 U.S. Open winner, moved in to a three-way tie at 17. Britz parred the 385-yard, par 4 hole, while her playing partners both had bogeys.



ANOTHER CROWN: Ray Floyd urges a birdie putt on his way to winning the Westchester Golf Classic Sunday.

## Veteran Floyd wrests season's third crown

HARRISON, New York, June 15 (AP) — Veteran Ray Floyd scored his third victory of the season and stamped himself a prime contender for this week's U.S. Open Championship with a two-stroke triumph Sunday in the Manufacturers Hanover Westchester Golf Classic.

Floyd, 38 and in his 19th year of PGA tour activity, won this one with a 2-under-par 69 in the final round over the 6,603 yards of rain-slickened hills that make up the Westchester Country Club course.

Floyd, who won the Doral Open and Tournament Players Championship earlier this season, acquired the 15th title of his career with a 275 total, nine shots under par.

It marked the 11th time in 16 starts this season that Floyd had finished in the top 10. And it enabled him to join Bruce Lietzke and Tom Watson as the only three-time winners this year, a record that makes Floyd a force to be considered this week in the American National Championship at the Merion Golf Club in Ardmore, Palm.

Floyd collected \$72,000 from the total purse of \$400,000, pushing his season's earnings to a career-high \$323,094 second only to Watson's \$332,492.

Craig Stadler, a winner in the Kemper Open two weeks ago, rookie Bobby Clampett and Gibby Gilbert, who so often plays well in

this event in suburban New York, tied for second at 277.

Stadler, the third round leader, slipped to a 1-over-par 72. Gilbert, who now has been second in this tournament three times including two in a row, had a 70. Clampett, playing well in front of the other contenders, closed up with a 68 in the cool, cloudy weather.

In Manchester, a lucky bounce off a woman spectator's umbrella helped Scotsman Bernard Gallacher to a five-stroke victory in the Greater Manchester Open Golf Tournament.

Gallacher, 32, won the 7,000 pounds first prize when he returned a record 16-under-par tournament aggregate of 264.

Nick Faldo of Britain was second with an aggregate 272. Gallacher had to hold off a strong challenge from Faldo, who was six strokes behind at the start but had cut this to only two shots after seven holes. Manuel Pinero of Spain was third with an aggregate score of 274.

Gallacher finished with a round of 67 against the 66 by Faldo but admitted: "I was very lucky at the 12th when my second shot hit a lady's broom."

"The ball bounced back on to the green and finished only two feet from the flag instead of going into real thick stuff. I missed the putt but I would probably have dropped at least one shot."



INFULL FLOW: John McEnroe in full flow, during his match against Brian Gottfried in the Stella Artois Grass Courts tournament Sunday. McEnroe won the final 7-6, 7-5.

## Davis Cup roundup

## Holland scores facile win

EINDHOVEN, Netherlands, June 15 (AP) — Holland qualified for the third round of the European Zone 'B' Davis Cup tournament Sunday defeating Ireland 4-1 in their second-round encounter.

The highlight of the three-day meet between the two national tennis teams came on Saturday, when 16-year-old Dutch student Eric Wilberts defeated 21-year-old Matt Doyle of Ireland 6-4, 6-8, 12-10, 6-4 in a singles match that lasted three hours and 45 minutes.

Complete results: Louk Sanders beat Matt Doyle 8-6, 2-6, 6-3, 6-2; Eric Wilberts beat Seansorensen, 4-6, 7-5, 6-4, 6-1; Louk Sanders beat Sean Sorensen Ireland, 6-3, 6-2; Eric Wilberts beat Matt Doyle 6-4, 6-8, 12-10, 6-4; Mark Albert and Humb Van Oeckel lost to Sean Sorensen and Matt Doyle 3-6, 6-2, 1-6, 2-6.

In Salzburg, Austria lost the remaining two singles but advanced to the semifinal round after narrowly beating Denmark 3-2.

Denmark's Michael Mortensen first defeated Robert Reiminger 6-3, 6-4, 6-3. Reiminger was playing for Hans Kary who was sidelined after reporting unfit. The Austrians made many mistakes, showed lack of initiative and was defeated in no

more than 1 hour 50 minutes.

In the last match Peter Bastiansen sensationally subdued Austrian champion Peter Feigl 6-4, 2-6, 6-4. Feigl was widely expected to win and had the Austrians not wrapped up the doubles Saturday they would have been ousted from the tournament.

Austria faces the Soviet Union in semifinal play at Pfortschach, Austria, July 10-12. After nearly three hours Bastiansen emerged as winner. The Dane played well for periods, and the experienced Feigl had problems with Bastiansen's topspin.

Monaco beat Poland 3-2 in Monaco to advance to the third round of the Zone "A". Bernard Bolleret clinched victory in the second of two reverse singles Sunday, defeating Czeslaw Dornbrowski 2-6, 9-7, 6-3, 6-1.

Results: Group A: Spain 5 Algeria 0; Monaco 3 Poland 2; Hungary 4 Egypt 1.

Group "B" Netherlands 4 Ireland 1; Finland 3 Bulgaria 2; USSR 4 Belgium 1; Austria 3 Denmark 2.

In the semifinals, scheduled for July 5 to 11: Spain plays Monaco, Netherlands plays Finland and USSR plays Austria.

## Heide, Britain's youngest karate black belt

LONDON, June 15 — Boys at 10-year-old Heide Carrol's school don't give her too much bother. If they are ever tempted to pull her hair or push her around they are quickly reminded that Heide is rather special.

Heide has become the youngest holder of a karate black belt in Britain. Her achievement comes after three determined years with karate as her main sporting interest.

Heide has had regular tussles with her father 32-year-old Andy Carrol, a First Dan black belt at Trowbridge Karate Club, Wiltshire. He has five years experience of the sport but now finds his daughter more than a match for him sometimes. He said: "Heide used to wander into the club just to watch."

"Then she could not resist having a go and her skills have grown quickly. Karate not only teaches you self-defence but self-discipline as well." Heide's reaction to the black belt is certainly serious.

"I want to go on to be a Second Dan in two years and then go to Japan to learn even more," she said. That should impress the boys at Westbury Junior School even more. Meanwhile she is helping to teach brothers Sean, eight, and Gareth, six. "That's when she is not playing football or climbing trees" said her father.

Britain has proved highly successful in karate, becoming the first country ever to defeat the Japanese in competition in 1972.



TWO OF A KIND: Heide Carrol, Britain's youngest black belt and her karate expert father Andy.

## American diver critically injured

TAIPEI, June 15 (AFP) — United States diver Jenny Lodz, who holds the world's women's number three ranking, was critically injured while demonstrating her skills here on Sunday.

Lodz, who arrived here last month with the six member American Acapulco Cliff Diving team, internationally known as the "Flying Eagles," lost her form during her display and cracked her skull.

The 23-year-old Indiana University graduate was sent to the local Veterans' General hospital in a coma. An attending physician at the hospital said that Lodz was breathing with the aid of an iron lung and that prospects for her survival were poor.

The "Flying Eagles," led by Rick White was reportedly invited here on contract to perform to paid audiences by a local businessman.

Meanwhile, Chen Xiao Xia gave China its third gold medal in the International Swimming Federation diving competition in Mexico Sunday by winning the women's ten-meter platform event and thereby assured her country the victory in the four-event competition.

Chen racked up an impressive 461.15 points to win the women's ten-meter event. She was followed by Guadalupe Canseco, of Mexico, with 421.15 points and American Wendy Lyler, who totaled 397.65 points.

Carlos Giron, of Mexico, earned the gold medal in Sunday's three-meter platform event, scoring a total of 649.25 points on his 11 dives. Second place in the men's three-meter event went to American Greg Louganis, who failed on his first dive but managed to amass a total of 643.20 points.

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## For World Cup Soccer finals

## Chile beats Ecuador to qualify

SANTIAGO, June 15 (R) — Chile became the second South American country to qualify for next year's World Cup Soccer finals in Madrid by beating Ecuador 2-0 Sunday night.

The win raised Chile's points tally to five in the South American Group Three. They still have one more match to play, against Paraguay, the third team in the Group, but the outcome will not stop them going to Spain. Paraguay has only two points at present. Ecuador, having played all its matches, has three points.

Brazil is already through to the championships, having won its group by eliminating Bolivia and Venezuela. Argentina, the reigning Cup holders, were not required to play qualifying matches in order to compete in Madrid.

Chile had a 1-0 lead at half-time. Carlos Rivas scored from a free-kick from 20 meters in the 10th minute. The second scorer was center-forward Carlos Caszely who wrapped up the match in the 86th minute. Chile had organized the 1962 World Cup finals but has never got past the qualifying rounds.

The Chileans attacked aggressively for the whole 90 minutes, Ecuador had few chances to score and only the performance of their goalkeeper kept the home side's tally down. The Ecuadorians marked very closely for the first half, changing their strategy when

they went hunting for the equalizer. But they had to contend with Chile's strong defence. In the second half, the play became rougher and incidents increased. Chile's winger Patricio Yanez was carried off in the 89th minute after being hit on the head by Valencia of Ecuador. He was replaced by Herrera. The Colombian referee, Gilberto Arestizabal, sent Valencia off.

In Seoul, Argentina's Racing de Cordoba lead Group 'A' of the President's Cup Football tournament with a 1-0 win over Japan. Miguel Ballejo scored the lone goal from a header, though the South Americans had more of the ball.

Japan's Masafumi Yokoyama netted in the opening minutes of the second-half but the referee ruled him offside. Japan have lost both matches.

In the other matches, Malaysia beat Chateauroux of France 2-0 and Saarbrücken of West Germany went down to South Korea 4-1.

Chateauroux did not have the speed to gain the equalizer after Ibuti Din had given Malaysia a lead in the 40th minute. The French seemed to run out of steam after Zulkifli Hamjah added the second in the 75th minute.

South Koreans follow the Argentines with one win and one draw, Malaysia and Saarbrücken have a win and a loss and

Chateauroux have one draw and one loss.

Meanwhile, one player had his jaw broken as violence returned to mar the Colombian Soccer Champions Sunday. Nine players were sent off in seven championship matches four in a bitterly fought match between Caldas and Nacional de Medellin in Manizales, which Nacional won 5-3.

Millionaires retained their lead in the championship with a goalless draw against Junior of Barranquilla.

In Geneva, Zurich wrapped up the Swiss Football Championship with a 6-0 romp over bottom-of-the-table Chênôis on the last day of the season here Sunday. Zurich won the League title with a six-point margin over their nearest rivals, Grasshoppers.

In Budapest, Ferencváros clinched the Hungarian Football League Championship beating VSK Pecs 4-0 while closest challengers Vasas lost 2-0 at Kaposvar. The win gave Ferencváros a four point lead with just one more match to play.

In Athens, Olympiakos of Piraeus won the Greek First Division Football Championship with a 3-1 victory over Atromitos here Sunday.

In Belgrade, Red Star were held to a 1-1 draw by Partizan in their concluding match but won the Yugoslav First Division Soccer Championships here Sunday.

## I don't fight for money, Holmes says

By Cynthia Stanley  
Houston Bureau

HOUSTON, June 15 — "I'm the baddest man in the world and I got to convince you there's nobody in the world who can beat me," Larry Holmes said following his bout with Leon Spinks. "I don't care about fighting. I don't fight for money, I'm rich. My house and business, they're paid for and my seven cars. But I'm gonna keep on fighting to prove I'm the baddest man."

"I'm fighting for my wife and my daughter and I'm 31 years old and I ain't gonna keep fighting forever."

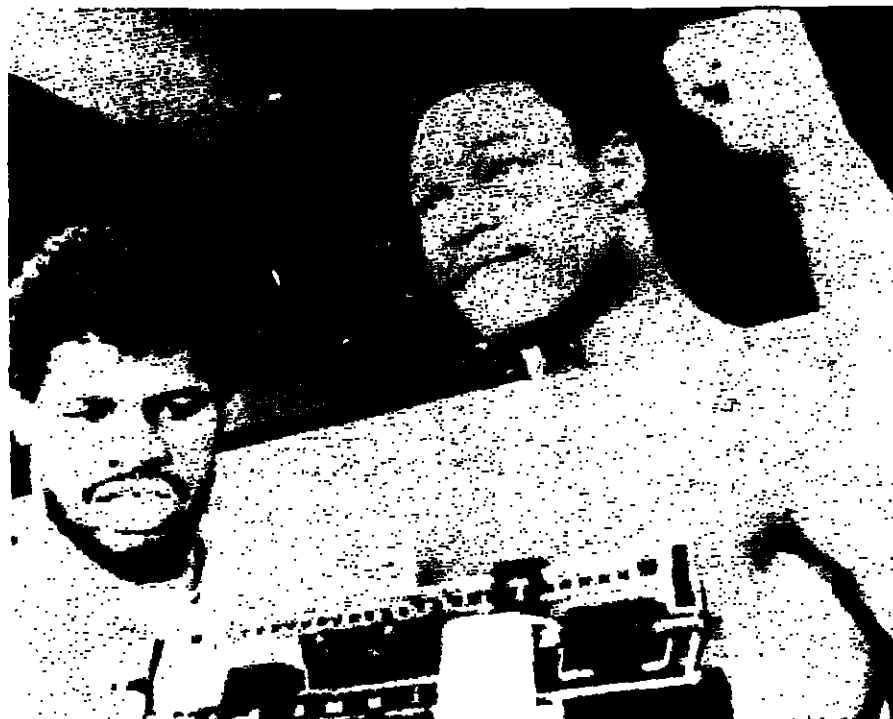
Holmes had just defended his World Boxing Council heavyweight championship by pounding the brains out of Spinks as thoroughly as human fists could do the job. He is undefeated after 38 fights, with 28 knockouts. He defended his title for the 10th time, scoring his ninth knockout as champion.

It was one of his most impressive performances, and it left the public hungry to see him take on Mike Weaver, the World Boxing Association champion, and especially the top contender, Gerry Cooney.

Holmes said he had not been hurt by the aggressive Spinks but had been stung once. He said the referee should have stopped the fight after the first knockout "because Spinks had taken several punches alongside the head and developed a gash under his right eye."

The ring bell, which had the resonance of lead, rang 25 seconds early in the second round and Holmes turned away but Spinks kept on attacking, banging Holmes stoutly.

Holmes said yes, Spinks should keep on fighting "because he has the enthusiasm. All he needs is somebody to show him how. He ain't been treated right."



WEIGH-IN: After the official weigh-in, before their title bout, world heavyweight champion Larry Holmes (right) raises his fist as former champion Leon Spinks pretends to measure the champion.

At 200 1/4 pounds, Spinks was in shape and he attacked from the first bell. Through the first round, Holmes, danced and circled right and left, using his superior reach and a pretty good left jab to hold his adversary off. Now and then he hooked to the head and twice he connected with the right.

The fight was called early in the third round when Holmes' hook caught Spinks with a smash and drove him into his own corner

where Holmes punished him. A fierce hook landed flush and Spinks, strangely, plunged forward, against the grain of the blow. He sprawled halfway through the ropes, rolled back and rose groggily at the count of eight or nine. He nodded to the referee that he was alright, but Holmes was on him again, slugging the head with both hands, measuring him. The referee stopped the fight.

Some feel Holmes never looked better. He was confident, he moved with grace and punched swiftly. In this condition, he would nail Weaver, usually a slow starter. How would he be an excellent bet against Cooney. He looks like the baddest man.

## BRIEFS

LOS ANGELES, (AFP) — New Zealand-bred Caterman was first across the finish line by a head in the Hollywood Gold Cup on Sunday at Hollywood Park (Los Angeles) but was placed second by the stewards who gave the victory to Eleven Stitches, as Caterman (Darrel McHargue) appeared to crowd Eleven Stitches against the rail through the final strides.

DRESDEN, East German, (AFP) — East Germany crushed a weakened British side in a men's and women's athletics match which finished here Sunday. The East German men by 131 points to 98 while their women won 111-46. The British women failed to win a single event. Britain had been unable to call upon their Olympic gold medalists while the East Germans fielded a more or less full side.

AMSTERDAM, (AFP) A knee injury will keep Dutch cyclist Jan Raas, a former world road champion, out of this year's French Cycling Tour, which starts June 25. Raas was recently forced to drop of the Midi-Libre Cycling race in France due to the injury.

WELLINGTON, (AFP) — A rearranged and improved New Zealand side wrapped up its three-match "Test" series against the touring all-England netball side in Hamilton with a 47-43 win in the final Test. New Zealand won the first "Test" last 48-40 at Dunedin and the two sides drew 46-all in the second in Wellington.



IMPACT: Lat Combs, of Lat Hobra, California, hits the water as his jet-powered drag boat crashes during Saturday's qualifying runs in the Coors Summer National Drag Boat Race at Lake Ming, near Bakersfield. Combs escaped unhurt.

## Cosmos scrapes past Blizzard

## Cubillas nets winner for Strikers

VANCOUVER, British Columbia, June 15 (AP) — A first-half goal by Teofilo Cubillas and spectacular goalkeeping by Dutch international Jan van Beveren gave the Fort Lauderdale Strikers a 1-0 North American Soccer League victory over the Vancouver Whitecaps Sunday night.

The victory before 23,051 fans also capped a homecoming for Strikers coach Eckhard Krautzan, who was coach of the Whitecaps in 1976 and 1977.

The Whitecaps dominated play throughout only to miss several good scoring opportunities or have Van Beveren beat them with his lightning reflexes. Vancouver still leads the Northwest Division by two points over the Seattle Sounders and Fort Lauderdale moved into second place in the Southern Division 15 points behind the Atlanta Chiefs.

In East Rutherford, Roberto Cabanas scored two goals and Vladislav Bogicevic added three assists as the Cosmos edged the Toronto Blizzard 4-3.

Cabanas' second goal of the match, his 11th of the season, came at 62:28 on assists from Bogicevic and Giorgio Chinaglia and provided the Cosmos, now 13-4, with their margin of victory. The Cosmos, who have now won four in a row, opened the scoring at 29:32 when Chico Borja headed in a corner kick from Bogicevic.

Toronto, now 4-11, came back to register the next two goals and assume a 2-1 lead at halftime. The first tally was accidentally kicked in by Cosmos defender Bob Larusci at 37:20 while the second was scored by Gianpaolo Boniperti at 42:10 with Alex Cropley and Randy Regan assisting.

Cabanas tied the score at 2-2 when he scored on a header at 50:34 with Borja and Francois Van Der Elst providing assists. Van Der Elst then made it 3-2 at 56:03 when he volleyed in a shot after receiving assists from Bogicevic and Cabanas.

Toronto tied the game for the last time at the 60th minute when Jomo Sono headed in a cross from Clyde Best, setting the stage for Cabanas' game winning goal.

In another match, Brian Kidd scored two second-half goals to lead a comeback victory as the Atlanta Chiefs beat the California Surf 2-1.

California jumped off to a 1-0 lead at the 40-minute mark on a goal by Steve Moyers and Kidd tied the game with a goal at 61:49. Kidd's second goal, on a penalty kick, came at 86:23.

Atlanta upped its record to 9-6 and remained in first place in the Southern Division. The Surf fell to 6-9.

Willie Kiefer's breakthrough goal at 43:47 lifted the Washington Diplomats to a 2-1 victory over the Chicago Sting.

Kiefer's goal snapped the Sting's five-game, home-field winning streak before a crowd of 8,069. The Sting drew first blood at 18:07 on a header by Arno Steffenhagen, assisted by Pato Margentic and Karl Heinz Granitz.

The Diplomats tied the score at 27:48, converting a doubtful penalty shot by Malcolm Waldron, then went ahead to stay at 43:47 on Kiefer's breakthrough. The first half ended with the Diplomats leading 2-1, which they held throughout the second half.

Despite the setback, the Sting remained in first place in the Central Division with a record of 10-5 and 86 points, 18 above the Tulsa Roughnecks. The Diplomats occupy second place in the League's Eastern Division with a 9-6 log and 74 points, 29 behind the New York Cosmos.

Striker Edi Kirschner scored three goals and set up another to lead Edmonton Drillers to a 6-2 win over San Jose Earthquakes.

For Edmonton, the six goals set a team record for most goals scored in a game. But

more important, it snapped a drought which had seen the Drillers only score three times in their last four games despite creating numerous opportunities.

Kai Haaskivi added two goals and three assists for the Drillers, who broke a four-game losing streak and improved their record to 5-9.

Peter Nogly scored the other Edmonton goal, while David Irving and Mark Liveric replied for San Jose, which lost their sixth game in seven starts this season on the road. The Quakes over-all record dropped to 7-8.

Edmonton beat San Jose goalie Bob Stetter three times in the opening 31 minutes to grab a quick 3-0 lead. Irving, acquired last Wednesday from Atlanta Chiefs, made it 3-1 at the halftime when his 15-yard shot eluded Edmonton keeper Pertti Alaja at 36:31.

The Drillers made it 5-1 on goals by Nogly and Kirschner midway through the second half. Liveric cut the margin to 5-2 at 77:50, but Haaskivi notched his second goal of the game with just 13 seconds remaining to give the Drillers their four-goal cushion.

Duncan McKenzie banged home a round off the post to give Tulsa Roughnecks a 3-2 overtime victory over Calgary Boomers. McKenzie's goal, his seventh of the season at 2:48 of overtime, completed a comeback by Tulsa while the home team was playing a man short.

With Calgary leading 2-1, defender Milan Stojasavljevic was ejected after a sliding tackle

injured Tulsa midfielder Iraj Danaifard at 79:56.

The visitors tied the score with 1:20 remaining in regulation time on Garnett Moen's fourth goal of the season, a header on a cross from Paul Hunter. Tulsa scored the only goal of the first half. It also came on a header, with Jo Edvaldson re-directing a cross from McKenzie on a free-kick.

The Boomers tied the score in the second minute of the second half when ex-Roughneck Jorgen Kristensen scored his first goal of the season on a left-footed free-kick from just outside the penalty box. Carlos Salguero put Calgary ahead with a shot from the six-yard line which goalkeeper Zeljko Bilecki mishandled.

## Fine knock by Fletcher

LONDON, June 15 (AP) — Keith Fletcher, 37-year-old former England Test cricketer, scored 61 not out and led Essex to a five-wicket win over Worcestershire in the John Player League Sunday.

Scores: At Worcester, Essex def. Worcestershire by five wickets. Worcestershire 149 for 7. Essex 151 for 5 (Keith Fletcher 61 not out).

At Derby, Derbyshire def. Hampshire by 5 wickets. Hampshire 179 for 7. Derbyshire 180 for 5 (Peter Kirsten 55). At the Oval, Northamptonshire def. Surrey by 92 runs. Northamptonshire 221 for 4 (Allan Lamb 83). Surrey 129.

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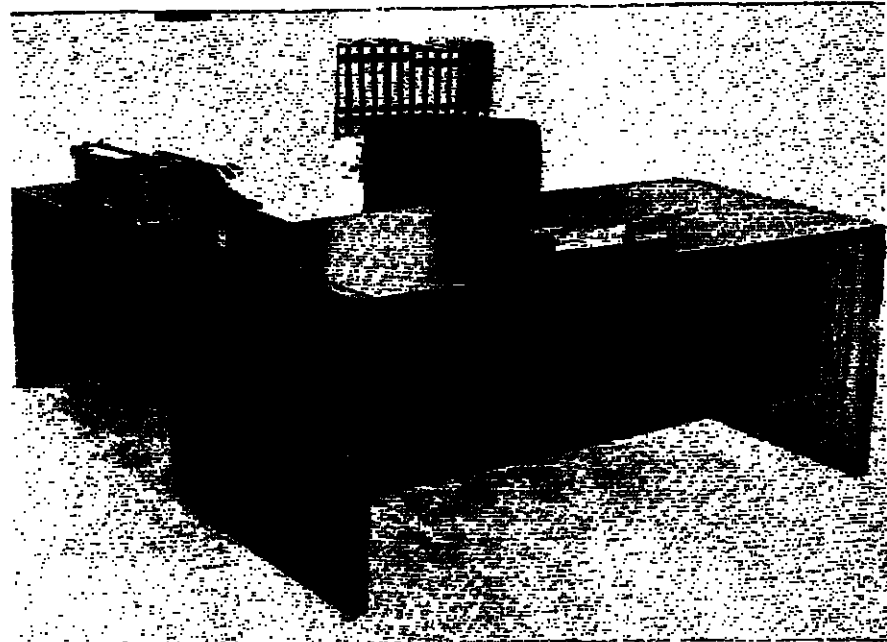
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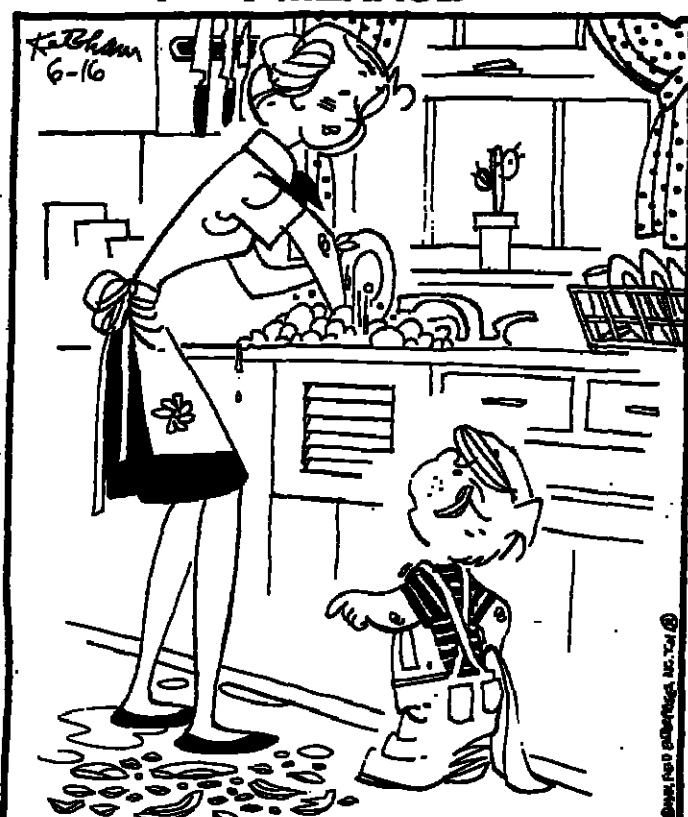
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 ♥ Q 10 9  
 ♦ Q  
 ♣ K 8 6 4 3

**WEST**  
 ♠ K 5  
 ♥ A 8 4  
 ♦ A 9 7 4  
 ♣ J 10 9 7

**EAST**  
 ♠ 8 6 4  
 ♥ 7 6 3  
 ♦ J 10 8 5 3 2  
 ♣ Q 5

**SOUTH**  
 ♠ A Q 10 3  
 ♥ K J 7 5 2  
 ♦ K 6  
 ♣ A 2

The bidding:

South	West	North	East
1♥	Pass	2♥	Pass
2♠	Pass	3♠	Pass
4♠			

Opening lead — ace of hearts.

Good bidding gets you to the best contract a very high percentage of the time. Every bid you make sends partner a message, and your partner usually replies in kind. And so, you each gradually learn approximately what the other has. Eventually, one of you chooses the final contract.

For example, when South bids one heart, he announces the values for an opening bid that probably contains from 12 to 21 high-card points. North's raise to two hearts is much

more revealing. It indicates adequate trump support and usually 6 to 9 points.

Two spades announces values above a minimum bid, since otherwise South would pass two hearts. It also suggests that spades might serve better as the trump suit than hearts. Three spades guarantees at least four trumps and willingness to go on to game in either suit, and four spades closes the auction.

There is one great big disadvantage to these exchanges of information. As the players send their messages back and forth the opponents listen in, and what they hear often helps them to find the best method of defense.

West took advantage of the North-South bidding and found the killing opening lead. He led the ace and another heart, and later gave East a heart ruff to put the contract down one.

West reasoned that his opponents were bound to have at least eight hearts between them for the opening heart bid and the immediate raise. This in turn indicated that East had either one heart or two hearts, and that he could sooner or later trump a heart.

Had South adopted a less scientific approach to the bidding and jumped directly to four hearts over two, there would have been no way to stop him from making the contract.

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Frances Drake

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What kind of day will tomorrow be? To find out what the stars say, read the forecast given for your birth sign.

**ARIES** (Mar. 21 to Apr. 19)   
 Make plans for travel. Keep in touch with distant relatives. Matters of philosophy, religion and culture are in the forefront.

**TAURUS** (Apr. 20 to May 20)   
 Weigh the pros and cons regarding new investment plans. Talks with close allies should be very friendly. Apply for credit.

**GEMINI** (May 21 to June 20)   
 You're in the mood to spend more time with partners and other close ties. Doing things together enhances your fine rapport.

**CANCER** (June 21 to July 22)   
 You're happily preoccupied with the daily work routine. No obstacles interfere with accomplishment. Find yourself through work.

**LEO** (July 23 to Aug. 22)   
 Relaxation should not lead to laziness. Your zest for living promotes happy leisure-time activities. Enjoy romantic possibilities.

**VIRGO** (Aug. 23 to Sept. 22)   
 Home life appeals to you now. Don't get so caught up in little things that you forget

your overall plan. Utilize imagination.   
**LIBRA** (Sept. 23 to Oct. 22)  
 Catch up on neglected correspondence. Mix daydreaming and utilize creativity. Optimism helps pave your way to successful accomplishment.

**SCORPIO** (Oct. 23 to Nov. 21)   
 Window-shopping could lead to an unexpected purchase. Enjoy the shopping, but also take steps to improve your financial status.

**SAGITTARIUS** (Nov. 22 to Dec. 21)   
 You greet the world with a fresh smile, and attract benefits by being your characteristic self. Act on the basis of self-worth.

**CAPRICORN** (Dec. 22 to Jan. 19)   
 There's nothing to keep you from completing unfinished tasks. A slow-paced day gives you the opportunity to work at your own speed.

**AQUARIUS** (Jan. 20 to Feb. 18)   
 An interest in politics and world affairs keeps you mentally stimulated. Keep up-to-date on current happenings. Enjoy social visits.

**PISCES** (Feb. 19 to Mar. 20)   
 Career interests preoccupy you. Mixing business and pleasure helps you out in the long run. Keep in touch with those who can assist you.

## Crossword

by THOMAS JOSEPH

- ACROSS**
- 1 Imitation
  - 2 gem
  - 3 Glance at
  - 4 Mediumistic state
  - 5 Rodentlike mammal
  - 6 Conductor, Fritz —
  - 7 Napoleon's isle
  - 8 Before tee
  - 9 Short drink
  - 10 Destiny
  - 11 Gyn's mother
  - 12 High schooler
  - 13 Iran's ancestor
  - 14 Strew
  - 15 Flash
  - 16 Gordon's girlfriend
  - 17 Storage area
  - 18 Standard
  - 19 Isen
  - 20 heroine
  - 21 Haphazard
  - 22 Vermin
  - 23 Intimate
  - 24 Constellation
  - 25 Success
  - 26 Beehive State
  - 27 Dahl
  - 28 or Golonka
- DOWN**
- 1 "Down by the Old Mill —"
  - 2 Flatted
  - 3 Cried wolf
  - 4 Sothern
  - 5 Perfume
  - 6 World —
  - 7 Andrews film
  - 8 Sought aid
  - 9 Leafy recess
  - 10 Sans chaser
  - 11 Decorative
  - 12 Sign style
  - 13 Esau's
  - 14 father-in-law
  - 15 Earth goddess
  - 16 Neophyte
  - 17 Swampland
  - 18 Accompany
  - 19 Proportion
  - 20 Cuban patriot
  - 21 Shoe style
  - 22 Wise about
  - 23 Cut off

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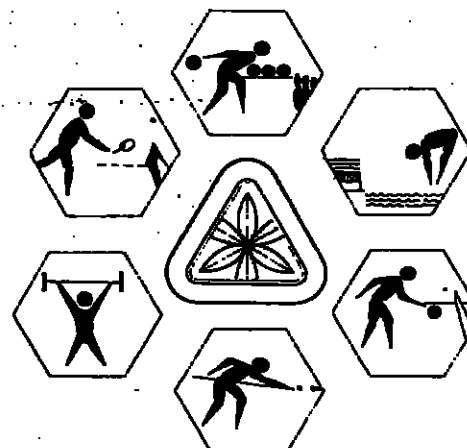


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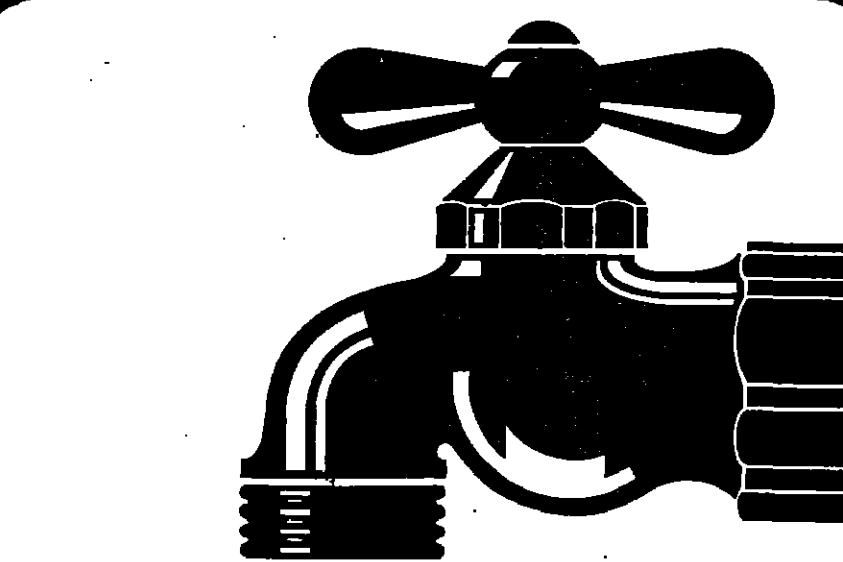
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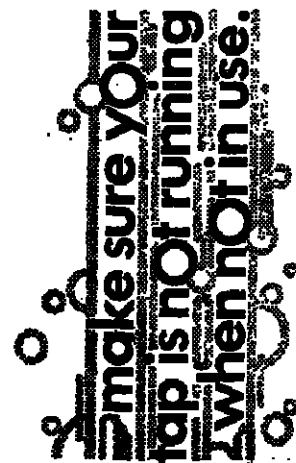
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### Haig to meet Deng

## Peking talks cover defense, trade links

PEKING, June 15 (AP) — In a bid to revitalize Sino-U.S. relations, Secretary of State Alexander Haig reviewed China's defenses in high-level talks Monday and apparently tackled the major obstacle to better relations, the sale of U.S. weapons to the Republic of China.

Haig met Foreign Minister Huang Hua for a second round of talks on bilateral and international affairs. He discussed economics, technical cooperation and Sino-U.S. trade with Vice Premier Bo Yibo. He met Defense Minister Geng Biao to "exchange views on defense matters," a senior State Department official said.

State Department officials later declined to discuss the substance of Haig's talks, saying it would be inappropriate to comment before the visit ends Wednesday. One official later told reporters, "we characterize everything as very friendly and the atmosphere as good."

In an unusual three hour and 45 minute meeting, Haig and Huang discussed bilateral relations, but senior officials declined to say if the sensitive issue of Taipei was discussed. He said there was "a great deal of agreement" on international issues, but declined to say if there was agreement on Sino-U.S. relations.

China has been wary of the administration of U.S. President Ronald Reagan and of Reagan's long history of support for Taipei and his campaign statements about upgrading relations with the island. China is especially incensed about U.S. arms sales to the rival nationalists which it considers a viola-

tion of its sovereignty. On the eve of Haig's visit, China promised a strong but unspecified response if sales continue.

Haig canceled a visit to the old imperial city to continue his talks with Huang Hua in the morning at the Great Hall of the People. Officials later said the meeting ran overtime because matters were discussed "in thorough detail," not because of any impasse.

Haig and Huang Hua emerged smiling from their meeting and shook hands, but neither commented. It was Haig's first meeting on bilateral relations since the secretary arrived Sunday.

American and Chinese officials later held smaller, working sessions on bilateral relations and defense matters. Haig is scheduled to meet China's paramount leader, Vice Chairman Deng Xiaoping, on Tuesday.

An official said Haig would hold a press conference Tuesday night or Wednesday morning, to Republic of China. But he said it had been decided before the visit began that no joint communiqué would be issued at the end. Thus it was not clear how or whether Peking would make known its assessment of the Reagan administration's first high-level contact with China.

The question may be cleared up Tuesday when Haig meets Deng Xiaoping. Deng's attitude and public comments, if any, will be watched closely for clues on how Peking rates prospects for warm ties with President Reagan, who ran for office on a platform which included a call for closer relations with Taipei.

## Italy attention focused on poll

ROME, June 15 (APF) — Republican Giovanni Spadolini resumed his attempt to form a cabinet Monday as the attention of Italy's political circles focused on next Sunday's partial elections. The administrative polls will involve around a third of the electorate and are considered a major test of each party's current performance.

In theory, Spadolini could form a government this week, counting on assurances from the Christian Democrats and the Socialists.

The prime minister-designate, a former university professor and journalist who entered politics less than ten years ago, soon becoming secretary-general of the tiny Republican Party — 3.8 percent of the electorate at the last polls — met President Sandro Pertini and representatives of the trade unions and the employers' association Confindustria Monday.

He worked out a government program Sunday with senior party leaders, based on four key points: inflation, cleaning up public life after the P-2 Masonic lodge scandal,

measures to encourage more "repentant" jailed gunmen to inform on their comrades and a new-style foreign policy.

Spadolini was also due to meet his possible partners in Italy's new government later. After receiving preliminary pledges, he announced at the weekend that he would only carry through this one round of consultations, and inform President Pertini of success or failure to form a cabinet by Friday at the latest.

But only two days later, nine million Italians go to the polls and the results could shift the party balance, making Spadolini's partners — especially the Socialists who hope a good showing — rethink their commitments. Observers were therefore unanimous here Monday that if Spadolini does manage to put together a new center-left government, it will at best be a transitory, caretaker arrangement.

The duration of his government would also largely depend on the attitude in opposition of West Europe's largest Communist Party.

## Yorkshire Ripper lodges appeal

LONDON, June 15 (AP) — Peter Sutcliffe, convicted for murdering 13 women in the Yorkshire Ripper slayings, Monday lodged an appeal against the murder verdicts, his lawyers said.

Sutcliffe, 35, Britain's most notorious mass killer of women, was sentenced to a minimum 30-year life sentence last month. A jury rejected his plea of guilty to manslaughter on grounds of diminished responsibility or mental incompetence.

Sutcliffe, a truck driver, admitted the

attempted murders of seven other women who survived his brutal attacks over a five-year period in northern England. At the trial in London's Old Bailey central criminal court, psychiatrists for both defense and prosecution said Sutcliffe was a paranoid schizophrenic.

Attorney-General Sir Michael Havers was prepared to accept the manslaughter plea, but the judge ordered the case to full trial. In the appeal, Sutcliffe's lawyer argued that judge Sir Leslie Boreham was wrong to reject Havers' acceptance of the manslaughter plea.

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consolidate the bonds of friendship and bolster cooperation in all fields.

He added that Saudi-Spanish talks will cover the political, economic and social fields. He pointed to the historical ties between Spain and the Arab world. "Our language, our civilization and our culture are derived from the Arab heritage. We have been greatly influenced by Arab-Islamic culture and are proud of that," Lorca said.

Spanish newspapers and information media meanwhile, highlighted the significance of King Khalid's visit and noted the trip will further boost the Arab and international role of Saudi Arabia and reinforce also the Arab-Spanish ties in particular and the Euro-Arab relations in general.

The papers featured Spain's role in backing the Palestinian issue and Madrid's honorable

stand toward the Palestinian cause.

Arab-Spanish relations have been growing since 1949-1950 when the Arab states led by the Kingdom, backed Spain, against economic and political isolation imposed by the Allies after their victory in World War II. The Arabs had also supported Spain to join the U.N. against the opposition Zionist and Communist attempts to turn-down the membership.

These ties have been further consolidated as late Francisco Franco furnished friendly relations with the Arab leaders. Since then Spain has continued its backing and understanding of the Arab issues. It has rejected to recognize the Zionist entity, and Madrid has supported the legitimate rights of the Palestinian people in self-determination.

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### Leader Moczulski applauded

## Four dissidents go on trial in Poland

WARSAW, June 15 (AP) — The trial of four anti-Communist dissidents charged with anti-state activities opened Monday in a Warsaw provincial court and then adjourned after two hours, a court official said. The trial was adjourned until Tuesday after a reading of the indictment.

About 150 persons applauded the arrival outside the courtroom of Leszek Moczulski, 51, leader of the "Confederation of Independent Poland" (KPN) and three of his subordinates who were released after temporary

detention June 5. The courtroom was opened to the public and several dozen people were seen entering the chamber for the trial.

Moczulski and Romuald Szeremietew, 36, Tadeusz Stanski, 33, and Tadeusz Jandziewski, 33, are charged with anti-state activities. They were indicted last March.

Authorities set their trial date hours after their release amid scattered nationwide hunger strikes aimed at freeing them and winning clemency for two brother-imprisoned 10 years ago for blowing up a school

building in Opole, southwest Poland, prior to a police meeting there.

There was one Polish flag held aloft near a banner proclaiming "Political Trials are a Shame for the Polish Nation."

The four dissidents claim to be innocent of all charges against them, but they made no formal plea Monday.

During the reading of the lengthy indictment, the woman prosecutor said Moczulski slandered Poland when he told the German news magazine *Der Spiegel* in an interview printed Sept. 15, 1980, that Poland's leadership "cannot be described as a leadership or Polish." Moczulski also advocated that a time would come when Poland would pull out of the Warsaw Pact in the *Der Spiegel* interview.

When the prosecutor read the quote about Moczulski's opinion of the Polish leaders, people in the courtroom clapped and the judge warned them another such outburst would prompt their eviction. The release of Moczulski and his three subordinates sparked an immediate sharp response June 5 from the Soviet news agency Tass which headlined its dispatch "Another Retreat to Counterrevolution."

The defendants argue that the establishment of new political parties is not expressly forbidden by law. The KPN was founded in 1979 with the aim of opposing Poland's postwar incorporation into the Soviet bloc.

The indictment contained detailed lists of the offenses allegedly committed by Moczulski. Article 123 states that: "Whoever conspires to deprive the Polish People's Republic of its independence or part of its territory, to overthrow its political system by force or to weaken its defense potential is subject to imprisonment for no less than five years, or punishment by death."

Meanwhile, Communist Party leader Stanislaw Kania, who survived a power struggle with hard-liners in the central committee last week, said Sunday he was committed to a "dialogue" to resolve Poland's problems and "I will remain faithful to that line till the end."

But he also said it was "clear and certain" that counterrevolution would not succeed in Poland and he called for "a unified offensive" by party members, by all its cells, to avert the threats to our Socialist homeland.

Kania spoke at a Krakow party conference where he was elected a delegate to the extraordinary party congress scheduled for July. The congress is expected to endorse the economic and political reforms adopted since last summer's labor upheaval. The reforms have led to fears of Soviet intervention.

In a related development, Solidarity leader Lech Walesa has again called for an end to confrontation between the independent union and the Polish government, Warsaw radio reported Monday.

## Sixth IRA man joins fast in jail

BELFAST, June 15 (R) — A sixth Irish Republican Army guerrilla began a hunger strike Monday at the Maze jail in Northern Ireland as part of a campaign for political prisoner status, a British government spokesman said.

He said Patrick Quinn, serving 14 years for attempted murder, possessing firearms and membership of the outlawed IRA, refused breakfast Monday morning. The IRA said Sunday that Quinn would join five colleagues in the Maze already on hunger strike for up to 36 days to maintain pressure on the government to concede political status. The government says it will never grant the demands.

Four prisoners have already starved themselves to death and more than 30 persons have died in violence stemming from the hunger strike campaign, which began March 1.

Supporters of political status for jailed guerrillas received a boost at the weekend when two Maze prisoners, hunger striker Kieran Doherty and IRA man Paddy Agnew, were elected to the Irish Republic Parliament in a general election.



BRITAIN'S ROYAL FAMILY: This group photo of the British royal family shows (from left) Peter, Princess Anne, Prince Edward, Prince Charles, Queen Elizabeth, Prince Andrew and the Duke of Edinburgh.

## Irish rivals may woo independents

DUBLIN, Ireland, June 15 (AP) — The balance of power in the Irish government rested Monday with six independents and two IRA guerrillas jailed in Northern Ireland, following the republic's inconclusive general election.

In the two weeks before parliament reconvenes, both Prime Minister Charles Haughey and chief opposition leader Gerald Fitzgerald are expected to woo the six independents in efforts to form a new government. But it remained unclear whom the independents would support.

The two Irish Republican Army guerrillas in Northern Ireland — one of them a hunger striker on the 25th day of fasting Monday — will be unable to take their seats. That will reduce from 84 to 83 the number needed for a majority in the 166-seat Dail, or lower house of parliament, a factor in Haughey's favor.

Final results from Thursday's voting gave Haughey's ruling Fianna Fail Party 78 seats and Fitzgerald's Fine Gael 65, both short of the needed majority. When Haughey dissolved parliament last month and called a new election, Fianna Fail, which has ruled Ireland for all but 10 of the past 49 years had an

overall majority of 17.

Fitzgerald, a former foreign minister, had sought to unseat Haughey by forming a coalition with the smaller Labor Party. However, Labor won only 15 seats in the election and its leader, Frank Cluskey, was not re-elected and Labor's deputies meet Wednesday to choose a new leader.

Three of the independents were said to lean toward a fine Gael-Labor coalition, but the other three could be expected to ally themselves with Haughey. Two of the independents, John O'Connell and Neil Blaney, went to the Maze prison outside Belfast to visit IRA leader Bobby Sands shortly before he died of a hunger strike.

The Irish constitution does not recognize Britain's 1922 partition of the republic that created the six counties of North Ireland, and Fianna Fail was founded on the principle of a united Ireland.

Although economic issues, such as an annual inflation rate of 21 percent, took precedence over Northern Ireland as a major concern among voters in pre-election polls, Haughey was under pressure to take a more active role in trying to resolve the province's problems.

## Good Morning

By Jihad Al Khazem

Man to his doctor: "I came home unexpectedly the other day, and saw my wife — wicked, wicked woman — dallying with the milkman. My first thought was to kill her. The second to kill her and the milkman. But then I controlled myself. A double murder like that would mean life imprisonment. I'm still young. My future before me. All would be in ruins. So, instead of killing anyone, I went to the kitchen and made myself a cup of coffee."

He then continued, "Next day I came home, all ready to forgive and forget, and found her — the jezebel! — with the postman. You can imagine my rage. Kill them both and blow up the post office. Then thought what that would mean, a lifetime in prison, and me on starting on life and the future looking promising. So I went to the kitchen and had a cup of coffee instead."

He went on: "Then, alas, I went home again and found her with the dustman. That's it, I thought... Her blood and that of at least three teams of dustmen will have to flow. That was it. Death and destruction to all. Things couldn't go on like this — the solution has to be now, and it has to be bloody. Luckily, my sense of responsibility returned. Just in time because this time I was truly feeling murderous. So I went to the kitchen and made myself a cup of coffee."

The doctor says impatiently, "Fine, fine, but what's your problem?" To which the man replies: "It's all those cups of coffee, doctor. Do you think they can harm my health?" This story is dedicated to us, as we still smart from Israel's latest slap in the face to the Arab world as a whole. The attack on Baghdad is not the first and will not be the last. Meanwhile, our blood boils, and we scream for vengeance. In the end, we decide on a cup of coffee....

Translated from Ashraf Al Amari

## Indira's son wins election

NEW DELHI, June 15 (AP) — Prime Minister Indira Gandhi's son Rajiv breezed to an easy victory Monday in his first political outing, trampling opponents in a special parliamentary election in northern India by more than 237,000 votes.

Mrs. Gandhi's dominant Congress Party retained four house seats and picked up a fifth held by the opposition before the weekend by-elections, which were tabulated Monday. Ballots in the other races will be counted later in the week.

Rajiv, 36, carried the Congress banner to victory in the sprawling Amethi district in Uttar Pradesh state, launching a political career that could make him one of the most powerful men in India. He captured the seat that became vacant last June when his politically astute younger brother Sanjay was killed in the crash of a stunt airplane.

## Pope to be operated

ROME, June 15 (APF) — John Paul II is to undergo a second operation in early July, sources at Gemelli Hospital, where the Pope was treated for bullet wounds suffered in the May 13 assassination attempt, said Monday.

The operation, not considered a major one, was scheduled to be on the Pope's colon, which was sectioned during the operation to remove the bullet from his intestines. The shot perforated the Pope's intestines in several places. The Pope is to convalesce for about a month after the operation, the sources said.

## E. Berlin poll protested

MOSCOW, June 15 (APF) — Britain, France, and the United States Monday officially protested to the Soviet government over East Germany's organization of Sunday's election in East Berlin.

For the first time, deputies from East Berlin were elected directly to the East German parliament. Previously, under the four-power agreement on Berlin, East Berlin delegates were voted to parliament by the East Berlin assembly.

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